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BACK TO SCHOOL FRESH FOR WORK AFTER HOLIDAYS

Scenes At Diocesan Boys' School

INTERVIEW WITH ACTING-HEADMASTER

STUDIES STARTED YESTERDAY FOR THE FIVE HUNDRED PUPILS OF THE DIOCESAN BOYS' SCHOOL, WHERE THEY RE-ASSEMBLED, REFRESHED, AND ENTHUSIASTIC, AFTER THE ENJOYMENTS OF A VACATION EXTENDING OVER TWO MONTHS.

Drawn from homelands scattered over a wide range, the membership of this famous school might be mistaken by the uninitiated for the roll of the League of Nations.

It is reasonable to suggest that few schools the world over possess such a genuinely cosmopolitan atmosphere as this one, thereby enhancing the liberal curriculum by a liberality of sentiment inspired by the contacts made at this local educational centre.

During the absence on leave of the Rev. C.B.R. Sargeant, who will return on October 6th., the Headmastership has been sympathetically and successfully carried out by the Chaplain, Rev. L. L. Nash.

Possibly there was no busier man in Hong Kong yesterday, for one more energetic than the acting Headmaster of this great school. Certainly, it would have been hard to find one more enthusiastic for his task.

Yet he made time, calmly and cheerily, to grant an interview with the youngest member of the reporting staff of the "Daily Press," who but recently was himself experiencing the mixed feelings of "going back to school."

MANY "OLD FACES"

With the pride and joy of the genuine schoolmaster, Mr. Nash expressed delight that he recognised "so many of the old faces."

That is always a living testimony to any school's well-being—when the parents have confidence in sending their sons back year after year.

How many new boys? Glancing at a file of papers, the acting Headmaster said that the list was not yet complete, but he thought there would be at least ninety new boys before the first term finished.

A ROUND-THE-CLOCK TASK

With over ninety boarders, a great responsibility devolves upon the "Head." It must be an "all round the clock" vocation, and one must be, by training as well as by nature, a moulder of the character of youth to undertake successfully so delicate and vitally important a task.

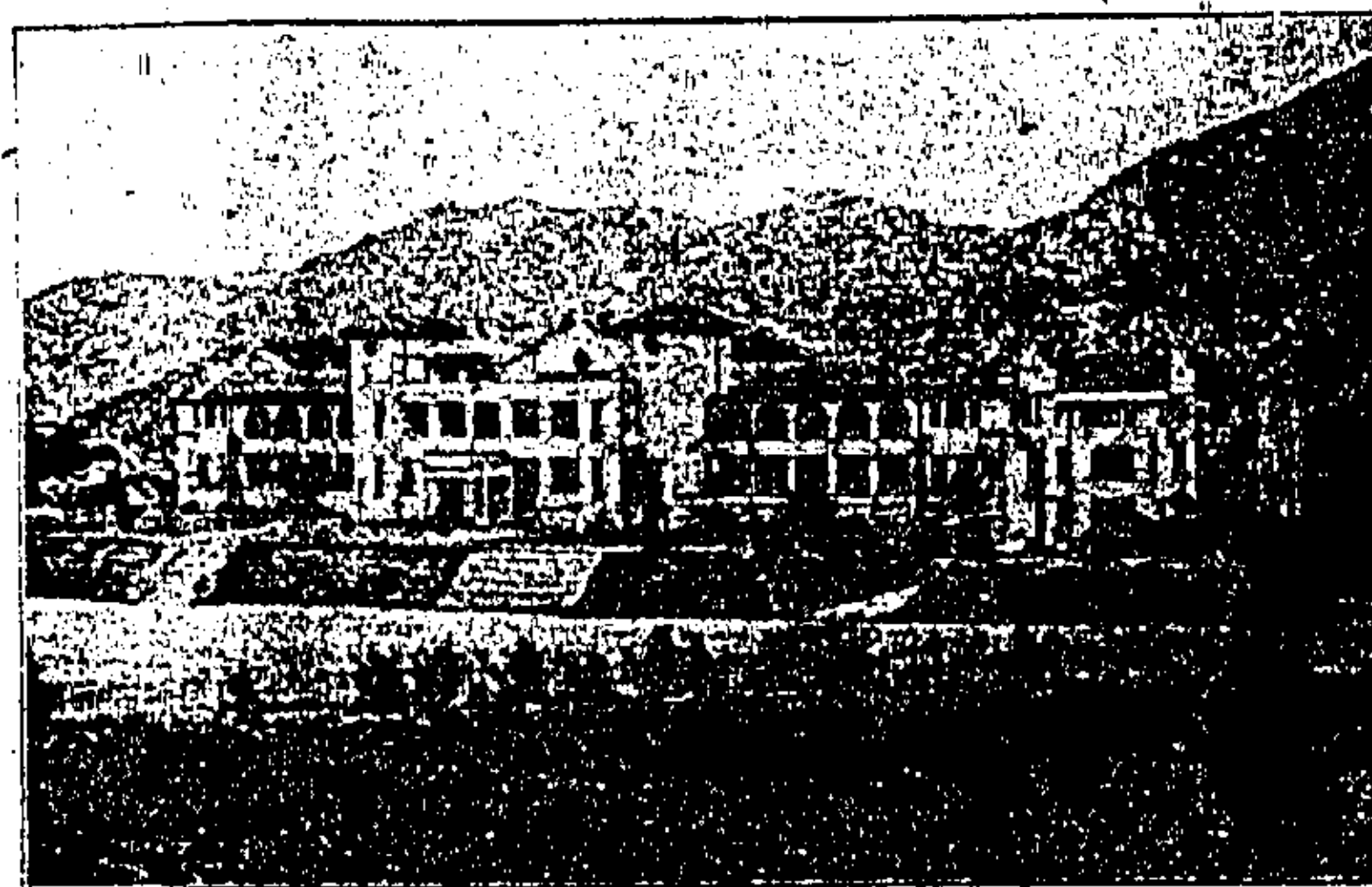
The boys has to be cared for in body as well as in mind, and here it is the endeavour of the school authorities to make it practicable for every boy to feel that he is an important member of a great team in which co-operation and unswerving loyalty are characteristics which make for success in work and play—characteristics which will stand a fellow in good stead wherever he may find himself in the vast, throbbing world outside the school gates.

THAT "NEW BOY" FEELING

And the "new boys?" Well, they all looked happy in their surroundings, the strangeness wearing off much more rapidly than is the case in adult assemblies. New books, new tasks and best of all, those ever-present optimistic visions which, in this materialistic world, seem to be the prerogative of youth.

THE TUCK SHOP

See them at the Tuck Shop! The "old hands" may know their way about very well, but the "new boy" yesterday showed he could be as adaptable as the most senior prefect when it came to gastronomic exercises.



VIEW OF THE DIOCESAN BOYS' SCHOOL

HON. MR. T. H. KING

His many friends will regret to learn that the Hon. Mr. T. H. King, Inspector General of Police, is indisposed. He was unable to attend the Urban Council meeting yesterday.

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"Anything from a glass of water to a three-course meal," was the way one of the masters epitomised the comprehensiveness of the Tuck Shop.

After the jostling for refreshments there seemed a much easier atmosphere.

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TO-DAY THE "NEW BOY" WILL BE MERELY A MEMORY. THEY ARE ALL NOW BROTHERS OF THE RED AND BLUE, PROUDLY WEARING THE CREST OF ONE OF THE FINEST SCHOOLS IN THE ORIENT.

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It will be a landmark in the educational development of the Colony when the Governor opens the new Central British School in Argyle Street, Kowloon, at 3 p.m. on the 14th inst.

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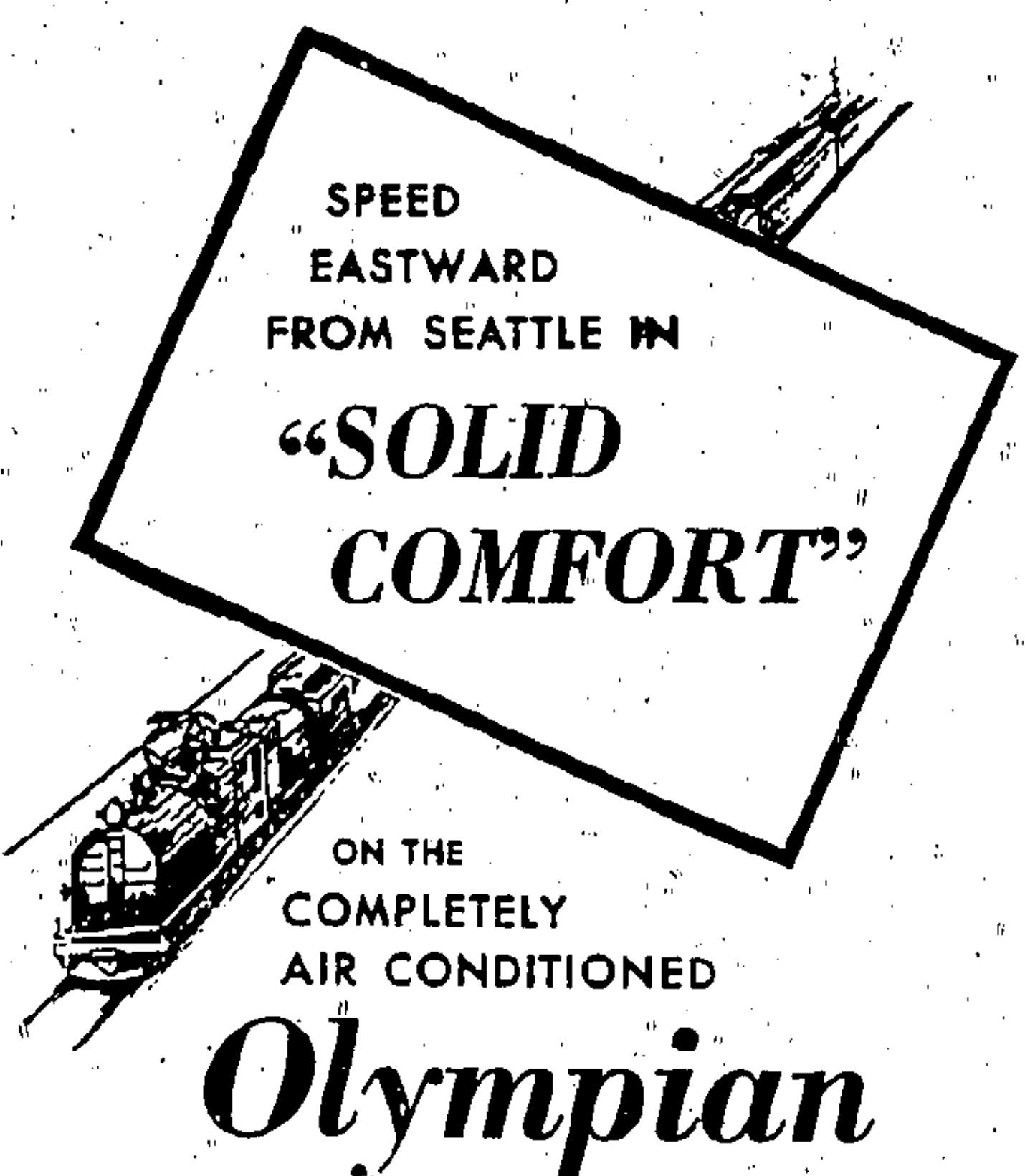
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ROUGHING IT IN CENTRAL ASIA

Peter Fleming's New Book

NEWS FROM TARTARY

Some readers of Mr. Fleming's "Hidden Asia" articles in "The Times," written in what he calls his "three pile, fireproof, printing house square prose," may possibly have feared that the high seriousness of Central Asian politics and the responsibilities of a Special Correspondent might affect that lively and humorous outlook on men and things, that keen enjoyment of his own sallies and stories, which distinguished the "Brazilian Adventure."

There seemed, at the reviewer's first glance, some grounds for apprehension of this sort, because, for the first time, the author has supplied an index to his work, not to mention a map, reproduced by permission of the Royal Geographical Society. But the reader need not go far with him to discover that such fears are groundless.

RACY STORY

In his foreword, Mr. Fleming reassures us by observing that his comments on matters political are made objectively; that he "knows nothing, and cares less, about political theory—knavery, oppression, and ineptitude, as perpetrated by Governments" (he says) "interest him only in their concrete manifestations, in their impact on mankind." And every page brings renewed assurance that this well-spoken yarn of travel in Central Asia is no lack whiting in that racy, human quality which was so conspicuous in its predecessors. His cheerful disregard of conventions and irreverence of eminent persons, his good-humoured indifference to physical and mental discomfort, are as happily manifested in the desert wilds of Tartary as they were in the jungles of Brazil: every phase of the "monotonous, unheroic, but strange existence," which he and his fellow-traveller Kimi Mallart, experienced during the seven months of their journey, supplies him with matter for a chronicle full of original observation, happily expressed, well-drawn scenes, and comic incidents.

Throughout the expedition—which, as he says, was really in the nature of an escapade—his writing not only conveys the essential wanderlust spirit, discovering a compensating dash of colour or comedy in the most unlikely places and the tightest of holes, but it shows, somewhat unexpectedly, how "curiously tender a hard journey makes you, even to your most maddening companies," animal as well as human.

Nevertheless, over and above that accusing index, I find, here and there in this chronicle, evidence that Peter is growing up. Forsaking the Hazlitt, or solitary-ruminant, school of wayfarers, which admits of no influence in journeying except the romance of the unknown road, he is now at pains to find justification or excuse for this expedition, and to prove that it is entitled, "at a pinch, to qualify as political, if not as geographical, exploration." Its object, carefully concealed from all authorities, was (he says) to find out what was happening in Chinese Turkestan, in that remote and turbulent "New Dominion," which no white traveller had crossed since 1927. He would have you know that he and Kimi Mallart—Special Correspondents both—were not wasting their time after the manner of tourists—"happy goggling ruminants"—in following through Central Asia the tracks of those all-fortunate early explorers, who had forestalled them on that famous ancient trail. But investigation of the political conditions in Sin-kiang was, of course, merely a bread-winning pretext. The real motive force behind the expedition was the simple fact that "he wanted to travel and believed he would enjoy it."

GALLANT TRAVELLER

When, at Peking, it was finally decided that he should join forces for the journey with Mlle. Mallart—as engaging a heroine as any travel-tale can show—he did so (despite the principles laid down in "One's Company"), "reluctantly and rather suspiciously," because it was an arrangement which seemed to offer the best chance of success. It was for him a very fortunate decision for the lady proved herself a "gallant traveller and a good companion," so much so that,

NEWSY VIEWS

HIGHEST EMPIRE PEAK

The Himalayan campaign goes on. As the Everest expedition returns home, worried by bad weather, the Nanda Devi expedition is getting to work.

Nanda Devi is 25,500 ft. high—much less than Everest's 29,002, or even than the highest point on Everest which the climbers have reached. But it is the highest peak in the British Empire.

If it were climbed it would be the highest actual summit reached by man. That record is at present held by the Queen Mary peak (25,500 ft.) in the Karakoram, ascended by a German expedition in 1935.

A British party climbed Kamet (25,447) in 1931.

Nanda Devi is a much more difficult mountain. Its approaches are defended by a wide mountain ring, averaging some 20,000 ft. in height and enclosing a kind of forecourt, which has been called "the Sanctuary."

SANCTUARY STORMED

Mr. Hugh Rutledge explored the approaches five or six years ago, and saw little prospect even of entering the Sanctuary.

But in 1934, Messrs. E. E. Ship-ton and H. W. Tilman, accompanied by three Sherpas, succeeded not only in entering the Sanctuary by the narrow rocky gorge of the Rishi Ganga, the only point at which the rim falls below 17,000 feet, but in living there for several weeks at a time.

They made a second visit later in the season. No serious attempt to climb the mountain was made, but a new way out of the Sanctuary was found, over the mountain rim.

£1,000 TRAINING FREE

An expert recently stated that it would cost anything up to £1,000 to secure the tuition and flying practice which will be given free to those who join the new Air Force Reserve.

One has heard directors of British air transport lines deplore the fact that lack of capital prevented many air-minded young men from obtaining the training necessary to qualify them as civil pilots.

Under the Air Ministry's plan pilots will receive 12 months' intensive training: the only obligation being to join the Reserve afterwards for five years. Service during this period not only does not interfere with civil life, but actually carries a retainer of £25 a year.

As he testifies, "he came to realise the value of her presence and how trying the journey would have been alone." For the reader it was no less fortunate, because, in addition to a most entertaining account of Central Asian travel, "News from Tartary" presents a very interesting study of a highly sophisticated, ultra-modern Paul and Virginia, deliberately reverting to the primordial, "taking a certain pride in the very slowness and the primitive manner of our progress," discovering the "continuous hunger is in many ways a satisfactory basis for existence," testing and enjoying life, in fact, under elemental conditions.

There was a certain fascination in rediscovering a layer of existence whose very existence the contemporary world has forgotten. We had left the 20th century behind with the lorries at Lanchow, and now we were up against the immemorial obstacles, the things which had bothered Alexander and worried the men who rode with Chinghis Khan—lack of beasts, lack of water, lack of grazing. We were doing the same stages every day that Marco Polo would have done, if he had branched South from the Silk Road into the mountains.

CARAVAN PHILOSOPHY

Mr. Fleming finds himself in complete sympathy with the Caravan philosophy; he knows "the fine intoxication that comes of much motion in the open air," and savours the mysterious charm of those long desert trails. Something of its enduring but elusive flavour is captured and held for us in these pages. Take, for example, this description of caravan travel, in company with the Prince of Dzun and his retinue:—

There is something very reassuring about a big caravan. The liners, the luxury trains, at which we have been taught to gaze complacently, have no more than the ingenious vulgarity of gadgets when you compare them with a mile of camels; nor are they more efficient. To identify far-scattered animals in the darkness to collect

ARMS EMBARGO ON SPAIN

London Committee Proposal

London, Aug. 31.

Replies favourable to the proposal with which Great Britain and France have already associated themselves for a committee which might sit in London for the purpose of keeping Governments in contact regarding the execution of the non-intervention agreement have been received from a number of other powers, including Italy. The projected committee would be purely of an advisory character and would have for its principal function an exchange of information as to the actual measures taken to prevent the export of arms, munitions and aircraft to Spain in accordance with the programme of essentials submitted by France and accepted by other countries.

The Committee would also presumably consider other points arising from the non-intervention agreement and it might also serve usefully in connection with the contemplated appeal on humanitarian grounds to all parties to the Spanish civil conflict to abate the horrors reported from all over Spain. The British representatives to serve on the committee have not yet been chosen.

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CROWDS GREET LINER

Queen Mary's Feat Acclaimed

London, Aug. 31.

The Cunard White-Star liner "Queen Mary" had a tumultuous welcome from vast crowds afloat and ashore when she reached Southampton this afternoon at the end of her double record-breaking voyage across the Atlantic and back. The liner which had a crowded escort of pleasure steamers, private yachts and speed boats up Southampton water docked at 12.40 to the noise of hundreds of sirens breaking through the drone of many aeroplanes circling overhead. The reception recalled the enthusiasm of last March when the mighty ship first came to her home port.

Referring to the recapture for Britain of the Blue Riband of the Atlantic by the west-bound passage from Ambrose Lighthouse to Bishop's Rock in three days 23 hours 57 minutes at an average speed of 30.83 knots the Commander of the "Queen Mary," Sir Edgar Britten and Chief Engineer Llewellyn Roberts both stressed the reserves of power which the ship still possessed.

At a ceremony at Liverpool Sir Percy Bates, Chairman of the Cunard White-Star Line, explained that the fast run had been made at this stage in the liner's career principally to obtain technical data for the design of her sister ship No. 552 the keel of which will be laid on the Clyde side yard of "Queen Mary's" builders, John Brown, in a few months time. From this point of view, he said the record-breaking voyage had yielded important and valuable information.

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WOMAN'S SOLO FLIGHT

London, Aug. 31.

Mrs. Beryl Markham, of Kenya, who is contemplating a solo flight across the Atlantic has chosen Uxbridge Aerodrome as her place of departure as it provides space for an extra long run required by the machine overloaded with fuel at the start.

British Wireless.

your own and bring them into camp before dawn, to do the complicated roping of the loads with frozen fingers, to move off without fuss in the first of the light—these things, which the Mongols did every day as a routine, seem to me just as wonderful as the stenographers on the Business Man's Special, or the Byzantine cocktail bar on the R.M.S. Scortcutie. "News from Tartary" by Peter Fleming reviewed by J. O. P. Stand in the "Times."

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| | High | Low | Last | Today's | Change |
|----------------------------|-------|-------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| New York/London Cross-rate | — | — | 5.02-1/32 | 5.03-7/32 | up |
| New York Cotton—Oct. | 11.43 | 11.31 | 11.30 | 11.38 | .06 up |
| New York Rubber—Sep. | 18.27 | 18.25 | 18.25b | 18.35n | .03 up |
| Chicago Wheat—Sep. | 1.08 | 1.08 | 1.08 | 1.08 | off |
| Chicago Corn—Sep. | 1.02 | 1.02 | 1.02 | 1.02 | unchanged |
| Silver—Official | — | — | 44 | 44 | unchanged |

| | 1935 | Aug. 29 | Aug. 31 | High | Low | Aug. 29 | High | Low | Aug. 31 | Change |
|--------------------|--------|---------|----------|--------|--------|---------|--------|--------|---------|-----------|
| Dow Jones Averages | 170.15 | 143.11 | 168.91 | 167.35 | 165.34 | 168.19 | 169.19 | 168.19 | 169.19 | .69 off |
| 50 Industrials | 58.03 | 40.86 | 55.01 | 55.31 | 54.59 | 54.78 | 54.78 | 54.78 | 54.78 | .33 off |
| 20 Rails | 38.05 | 28.23 | 34.70 | 34.98 | 34.53 | 34.77 | 34.77 | 34.77 | 34.77 | .07 up |
| 40 Bonds | 104.11 | 88.92 | 104.11 | 104.11 | 104.11 | 104.11 | 104.11 | 104.11 | 104.11 | .06 up |
| 11 Commodity Index | 88.37 | 85.50 | unquoted | 85.91 | 85.91 | 85.91 | 85.91 | 85.91 | 85.91 | unchanged |

Business Done:—1,150,000 shares.

| Stocks | Aug. 29 | 31 | Stocks | Aug. 29 | 31 |
|-------------------------|---------|-----|----------------------|---------|-----|
| Adams Express | 131 | 131 | G Western Sugar | 384 | 384 |
| Amer. Can. | 121 | 122 | Humble Oil | 651 | 651 |
| Amer. Cyanamid 'B' | 34 | 34 | Int. Harvester Co. | 54 | 54 |
| Am. & For. Power | 7 | 7 | Int. Nickel | 54 | 54 |
| Am. & For. P. \$7 pf | 371 | 371 | Int. Tel. & Tel. | 121 | 121 |
| Am. Light & Trac. | 311 | 311 | Kennecott | 471 | 471 |
| Amer. Locomotive | 22 | 22 | Loew's Inc. | 59 | 59 |
| Amer. Radiator | 271 | 271 | Lorillard | 221 | 221 |
| Amer. Rolling Mill | 83 | 83 | McKesson & Rob. | 45 | 45 |
| Amer. Smelting | 63 | 63 | bing Inc. | 45 | 45 |
| Am. Sugar Refining | 174 | 174 | Monsanto Chemical | 991 | 991 |
| Amer. Tel. & Tel. | 102 | 102 | Montgomery Ward | 47 | 47 |
| Amer. Tobacco 'B' | 24 | 24 | Nat. City Bk. | 42 | 42 |
| Amer. Waterworks | 381 | 381 | Nat. Dairy Prods. | 23 | 23 |
| Anacosta Copper | 82 | 82 | Nat. Distillers | 30 | 30 |
| Atchafalpa, T. & S. Fe. | 27 | 27 | Nat. Power & Light | 12 | 12 |
| Atlas Corp. | 131 | 131 | New York Central | 43 | 43 |
| Auburn | 301 | 321 | North American | 32 | 32 |
| Baltimore & Ohio | 23 | 23 | Northern Pacific | 27 | 27 |
| Bethlehem Steel | 67 | 67 | Pacific Gas & Elec | 38 | 38 |
| Boeing Airplane Co. | 29 | 28 | Pacific Light | 53 | 53 |
| Borden Co. | 30 | 30 | Packard Motor | 111 | 111 |
| Bklyn - Manhattan | 51 | 51 | Paramount Picture | 8 | 8 |
| Trans. Corp. | 51 | 51 | Incor. | 8 | 8 |
| Bklyn - Manhattan | 102 | 102 | Pennsylvania R. R. | 39 | 39 |
| \$6 cum. pf. | 102 | 102 | Phillips Petroleum | 42 | 42 |
| Case, J. I. | 159 | 160 | Pure Oil Co. | 46 | 46 |
| Canadian Pac. Rly. | 12 | 11 | Pub. Service of N.J. | 16 | 17 |
| Chase Nat. Bk. | 47 | 47 | Radio Corp. | 11 | 11 |
| Chesapeake Corp. | 82 | 83 | Radio Corp. "B" | 102 | 100 |
| Chesapeake & Ohio | 86 | 86 | \$5 of | 102 | 100 |
| Chrysler | 114 | 115 | Reynolds Tob. Co. | 56 | 56 |
| Columbia Gas & El. | 212 | 212 | Schenley | 47 | 47 |
| C. G. & E. \$5 'A' pf. | 106 | 106 | Schenley 5% pf. | 98 | 98 |
| Commercial Credit | 80 | 80 | Sears Roebuck | 84 | 84 |
| Com. Solvents | 18 | 18 | Socny-Vacuum | 13 | 13 |
| Comm. & Southern | 31 | 31 | Stirn. Cal. Edison | 31 | 31 |
| (ord.) | 31 | 31 | Stirn. Pacific | 43 | 43 |
| Comm. & Southern | 70 | 70 | Stand. Brands | 15 | 15 |
| (ord., \$6 cum. pf. | 70 | 70 | Stand. Gas & Elec | 7 | 7 |
| Consolid. Gas of N.Y. | 43 | 43 | Stand. Oil of N.J. | 63 | 62 |
| Consolid. Oil | 12 | 12 | Sterling Prods. | 72 | 72 |
| Continental Oil | 30 | 30 | Swift International | 30 | 30 |
| Corn Products | 69 | 69 | Technicolor | 27 | 27 |
| Curtiss Wright 'A' | 6 | 6 | Texas Gulf Sulphur | 38 | 38 |
| Curtiss Wright (C) | 18 | 18 | Transamerica | 13 | 13 |
| Delaware & Hudson | 46 | 46 | 20th Cent. Fox Film | 30 | 30 |
| Dynalene Corp. Sea- | 25 | 25 | comm. | 30 | 30 |
| grams | 25 | 25 | 20th Cent. Fox Film | 39 | 38 |
| Douglas Aircraft | 73 | 71 | Un. Carbide & Car- | 98 | 98 |
| Du Pont de Nemours | 156 | 157 | bon | 144 | 140 |
| Electric Boat | 14 | 13 | Un. Aircraft (New) | 25 | 25 |
| Elec. Bond & Share | 23 | 23 | Un. Airline Trans. | 17 | 17 |
| \$5 pf. | 71 | 71 | Un. Corp. | 7 | 7 |
| Elec. Bond & Share | 83 | 82 | Un. Corp. \$3 cum. | 47 | 47 |
| \$5 pf. | 83 | 82 | Un. Gas Improve- | 16 | 16 |
| Elec. Power & Light | 15 | 15 | ment | 33 | 34 |
| Flintkote Co. | 36 | 37 | U. S. Indus. Alcohol | 30 | 30 |
| Gen. Cigar | 53 | 54 | U. S. Rubber | 70 | 70 |
| Gen. Electric | 47 | 47 | U. S. Steel | 23 | 23 |
| Gen. Foods | 38 | 38 | Vanadium | 13 | 13 |
| Gen. Motors | 68 | 67 | Warner Bros. Pict. | 13 | 13 |
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"Adelaide owes a great deal to the forethought of past generations," said Mr. Chapman, "and it should not forget this fact. One of the most beautiful cities in the world, Adelaide will be even more so as the older buildings are replaced by buildings of greater architectural value."

Mr. Chapman commented that it would be a great mistake if buildings in Adelaide were allowed to occupy too large a proportion of the garden plots, and if edifices in the city were allowed to great heights. The advisability of building two-story cottages, which would be more suitable to Australian conditions than

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NATURE AND NURTURE

Montessori Methods Described

The Secret of Childhood. By Maria Montessori. Translated and edited by Barrara Barclay Carter. Longmans, 7s. 6d.

Of living educational reformers, Dr. Montessori has probably exercised the greatest individual influence. The explanation of her propagandist success lies in the practical application that she herself has given to her theories rather than in the originality or the verbal presentation of the theories themselves. The notion against which she fought is that "the child is an empty being which the adult must fill by his own endeavours; an inert and incapable being for whom everything must be done; a being without an inner guide, whom the adult must guide step by step from without; ... the adult being the touchstone of good and evil."

As every one now knows, the essence of her system of education consists in the provision for children of an environment which, while reasonably protective, on account of their inexperience of the world, leaves them free, within very wide limits, to determine and to regulate their own activities and their own methods of self-expression. Among the environmental objects, it is usual in Montessori schools or "children's gardens" to provide an equipment of such miniature materialities as tables, chairs, eating and drinking vessels, as well as deliberately epitomized "apparatus" designed to train the subtler movements of the muscles, and to cultivate the discriminative faculties in relation to such things as colour, form, weight, and sound. No one who has ever seen a properly run Montessori kindergarten for very young children can fail to have recognized that it embodied many of the fundamentals of sound infant education.

EMOTIONAL IMPACTS

There is, of course, an even more important educational factor that no application of theory and no formal instruction can provide. As Freud has taught us, if we did not know it before, the human emotional impacts of early childhood have important lifelong result. Unfortunately, we cannot by deliberation adapt our emotions or those of others to fit needs or expediences; they are what they are. It is on the intellectual, physical and aesthetic planes alone that formal educational planning can help us; and it is a weakness of many enthusiastic educational reformers—including Dr. Montessori herself—that they do not sufficiently recognize this limitation.

It is to be regretted that the critical reader of this book can but be distracted and annoyed by the not infrequent outbursts of sentimental hyperbole, and by the many exaggerated pictures meant to portray the child's sufferings from the ill-treatment meted out to it by our ignorant contemporaries. There is, for example, an account of the world's attitude—especially the attitude of the doctor and nurse—to "the new-born babe," comparable only with one of Mark Twain's examples of what he called "hogwash." Nevertheless, the practical achievements of the author and the soundness of so much of her teaching are such that we can afford to treat these rhapsodic lapses as of relatively minor consequence.

"DO IT BY MYSELF"

The root principle of the Montessori system is well expressed in a phrase invented by a child at one of her schools: "Help me to do it by myself." Of course, as Dr. Montessori would acknowledge, the problem of infant education is still far from being solved, even in theory; and it is a pity that she so often relies on rhetoric seemingly to conceal this fact from her simpler readers. Here is a characteristic extract from the book:—

"It is no exaggeration to say that man who up till now has built only a world for the adult must set to work to build up a world for the child. The treatment of the child is so complex and so delicate that it needs something more than an awakening in the mother, or the training of new types of nurses and teachers. The response to the child's needs must be a mental renewal of education, which will be the centre of many collateral sciences, till the crowning result is achieved, a new philosophy of life. In this book Dr. Montessori, translated by a less specialized public than she has hitherto approached,

MODERNIZATION PLAN FOR WUCHANG

Improvement Of Water Supply

EXPANSION SCHEME

Visualizing the increasing importance of Wuchang as a commercial, financial and political centre in Central China after the inauguration of through traffic on the Canton-Hankow railway, which has been fixed on Oct. 10, China's Independence Day, the Hupeh Provincial Government is rushing its work in building a Greater Wuchang in accordance with a modernization and expansion scheme outlined early in the year.

Situated at the North terminus of the Canton-Hankow railway and connected with Hankow, Hanyang and other important cities in Central China by the Yangtze River, Wuchang has potentialities for being developed into a great metropolis. The wide tracts of waste land surrounding the city, for instance, offer ample space for expansion.

EXPANSION SCHEME

Since his assumption of the provincial chairmanship last January, Mr. Yang Yung-tai has spared no efforts to develop and modernize the Hupeh capital. In addition to the \$600,000 reconstruction fund provided in the local budget, Mr. Yang has appropriated \$450,000 from the provincial treasury as subsidies for the execution of the first stage of work of the modernization and expansion scheme.

In view of the completion of the Canton-Hankow railway, General Yang has ordered the reconstruction authorities to expedite this first stage of modernization and expansion work and have it completed before Oct. 10.

According to the scheme, the first stage of work includes the construction and repair of new and existing roads in the city, erection of public parks, markets, residential quarters, and public cemeteries, building of a railway bridge at Chanyutao, improvement of water and electric supply, and promotion of public health.

CITY BUS SERVICE

Several of the projected roads it is learned, have already been completed, while others are under construction. To facilitate communication in the city a bus service has been planned.

To solve the housing problem of the growing population residential quarters will be built in the up-town district. The new houses will be rented out at reasonable rates. Meanwhile, public parks will be laid out in the neighbourhood and public cemeteries will be built at designated areas in order to prevent tombs being scattered about in the city.

NEW BRIDGE

Negotiations have been concluded between the Hupeh Provincial Government and the Ministry of Railways for the construction of a new railway bridge spanning the river at Chanyutao, the most important station at the North terminus of the Canton-Hankow railway in order to facilitate transportation. The ministry has consented to subsidize \$40,000 for the construction of the bridge.

To improve the ferry service between Wuchang, Hankow and Hanyang several streamlined ferry boats, it is planned, will be ordered from abroad.

Both water and electric supply will be improved by the installation of new machines in the existing water and power plants.

Health activities will include the construct of a slaughter-house and improvement of the facilities of the Hupeh Provincial Hospital. Central News Agency.

It is meant to be a book "for all parents and teachers"; and it is certainly on that all parents of young children could read with advantage. "The Secret of Children" by Maria Montessori. Translated and edited by Barbara Barclay Carter.

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- 1.15 p.m.—Relay of the Hong Kong Hotel Orchestra.
- 1.30 p.m.—Reuter Press, Local: Weather forecast, time and announcements.
- 1.40 p.m.—Relay of the Hong Kong Hotel Orchestra.
- 2.15 p.m.—Close down.
- 4 to 7 p.m.—Chinese programme.
- 7 to 11 p.m.—European programme.
- 7 p.m.—Peer Gynt Suite No. 2, Op. 55 (Grieg) played by the New Queen's Hall Light Orchestra.
- 7.17 p.m.—Numbers from "Yes Madam"—Musical Comedy with Bobby Howes, Blinzie Hale, Bernha Belmont, Billy Leonard, Narcourt Brook and Vera Pearce.
- 7.30 p.m.—Closing Local Stock Quotations.
- 7.47 p.m.—Albert Sandler and his Orchestra.
1. Si Mes vers aient des ailes (Hahn).
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3. Love's Last Word (Grieg).
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- 8.03 p.m.—From the Studio
- A Recital by Edgar Warner (Tenor) accompanied by Lindsay A. Lafford.
1. For You Alone.
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- 8.15 p.m.—Pianoforte Synopations by Charlie Kunz.
- 8.35 p.m.—Selection from "The Damask Rose" (Chopin, Adapted Clutsum).
- 8.45 p.m.—From the Studio
- A programme of Puccini's Music by Elsa Alves (Soprano). At the piano—Fred Alves.
- 9 p.m.—News and Announcements from London.
- 9.20 p.m.—From the Studio
- Marina Barretto in a Pianoforte Recital.
- PROGRAMME
- (a) Song of the Lark—Tschalkowsky.
- (b) Largo from 7th Sonata—Beethoven.
- (c) Sevilla—Albeniz.
- 9.35 p.m.—Schubert's "Marche Militaire" (arr. Godfrey).
- 9.40 p.m.—From the Studio
- Talk: "Aviation" No. 4—"Side Lights and High Lights of Air Transport" by M. H. Curtis.
- 10 p.m.—Big Ben from London.
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- 1.05 p.m.—Call DJA, DJB (German, English).
- German Folk Song.
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- 2 p.m.—News in German.
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- 2.55 p.m.—Greetings to our listeners.
- 3 p.m.—News and Economic Review in English.
- 3.15 p.m.—To-day in Germany. Sound Pictures.
- 3.30 p.m.—Selections from "La Traviata" by Verdi.
- 4.45 p.m.—Folk Songs and Dances our Olympic Guests brought with them.
- Kees Veening, Baritone; Heinz Herkommer, Speaker.
- 5.30 p.m.—News and Economic Review in German.
- 5.45 p.m.—Woman's Hour: A Talk by Elsa Schneider, the Animals' Photographer at the Berlin Zoo.
- 6 p.m.—"Er, der Herrlichste von allen."
- Schumann Song Recital by Lotte Stumpf.
- 6.15 p.m.—Sign off DJA and DJB (German, English).
- 6.55 p.m.—Call DJE and DJB (German, English).
- German Folk Song.
- 7 p.m.—Concert of Light Music 8 p.m.—News in English
- 8.15 p.m.—Greetings to our Listeners in the Dutch East Indies and Call DJQ.
- 8.20 p.m.—Concert of Light Music (continued).
- 9 p.m.—News and Economic Review in German.
- 9.45 p.m.—A Generation's Changes in Germany. The New Aspect of German Cities: III, Nuremberg.
- 9.30 p.m.—Spanish Music from the time of Charles V. Conducted by Prof. Ela Harich-Schneider.
- 10 p.m.—News and Economic Review in English on DJE, DJQ in Dutch on DJB.
- 10.15 p.m.—To-day in Germany. Sound Pictures.
- 10.30 p.m.—Selections from "La Traviata" by Verdi.
- 11.45 p.m.—"Er, der Herrlichste von allen." Schumann Song Recital by Lotte Stumpf.
- 12 midnight.—Close DJE, DJQ, DJB (German, English).
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- 7 a.m.—Sign Off.
- 9.30 a.m.—Nelson Financial Review and Musical Varieties.
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- 2.30 p.m.—Nelson Financial Review and Musical Varieties.
- 2.45 p.m.—Sign Off.
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Of the ceremonies still in use anywhere in the world for the inauguration of secular dignitaries, there is none to compare for antiquity with the rite for the Coronation of the Kings of England. Most of its essential elements can be traced back to the Coronation order known by the name of Ethelred II, which was probably used for crowning Harold Godwinsson and William the Conqueror. Many of its very words come down, with no more change than the translation from Latin into English, from the pontifical of Egbert Archbishop of York, who died in 786. Yet, while so much has remained the same, the monarchy, which the ancient rite consecrates in the person of each succeeding Sovereign, has undergone development to the point of transfiguration, and the pageant of the Coronation has necessarily been changed to keep pace with that growth. That which is essential—the rite itself—has not been, and it may be hoped never will be, altered. The acknowledgment of dependence on Divine protection, the prayer for the guidance of Divine grace, cannot go out of date; the oath to govern with justice and mercy is as proper to a Parliamentary as to a feudal Sovereign, whether his sway extend to a few counties about Winchester or to a Commonwealth of free and separate nations, occupying a quarter of the inhabited world. The crowning of the King, however, is something more than a personal dedication; it is also an occasion when the King's subjects associate themselves with and under him in solemn profession of the ideals for which his consecrated person stands; and it is chiefly because his subjects become from age to age more numerous, and their relations to him and to one another more complex, that the ceremonial surrounding the rite, both spiritual and secular, requires revision from reign to reign.

The Coronation of King Edward VIII has been adapted to a greater formal change than has been known since the Revolution of 1688. The organization of the Empire into distinct nations, whose subordination to the Crown is direct and not through the Government of a suzerain Mother Country, has passed from the sphere of custom to the sphere of law; and a wise decision has been taken to let the change be reflected in the great ceremony of next May. No doubt it would have been technically possible to treat the Coronation as what it has hitherto been, the inauguration of the new reign by the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, leaving each Dominion to hold its own separate celebration on its own soil, and inviting the King's subjects from overseas to attend as guests rather than as participants at Westminster. But such a course would have been wholly foreign to the spirit of the Empire, especially as it is interpreted in these islands. The peculiar position of the Crown as the sole formal connecting link of the Commonwealth requires that the celebrations of all its component nations should be concentrated in the physical presence of the King; and this means that each must take its part by right and not by grace. That right has been publicly enunciated by the appointment of the commission under the chairmanship of the Duke of York, which is to consider "those aspects of the arrangements for the Coronation which are of common concern," and includes with the representatives of the United Kingdom those of Canada, Australia, New Zealand, and South Africa, all the appointments being of course made on the advice of the several Governments concerned. It is the first such joint deliberative body created under the present Constitution of the Empire (since the Imperial War Graves Commission was set up before the Statute of Westminster of 1931), and is likely to be a subject of close study for future constitutional historians. Its deliberations on the matters referred to it have already begun.

The task that has been set to the commissioners is exceedingly delicate. They have to bend things old and new. Two principles not easily harmonized will be generally recognized as necessary for their guidance. On the one hand the traditional observances, which have been handed down from the immemorial past, must be maintained in their accustomed form. On the other hand the new nations, which have come to maturity in the reign just closed, must be found a ceremonial part worthy of their full dignity. The Coronation is to be the symbol of two unities—the unity of the Imperial partnership to-day, and the unity of the past and present of the British Crown. Now, although the spirit of the Coronation ritual is timeless, its forms are of the feudal age. It dresses the ideals and virtues of Kingship in emblematic garments of the medieval chivalry, coloured with memories of Acre and Agincourt, of Domesday Book and Magna Carta. These memories of course belong as fully to the people of the Dominions as to those of the Mother Country; the co-herds do not lose the right to their inheritance because they have chosen to make their home across the seas. They have every right to feel that they participate to the full in everything that is most venerable in the ancient observance.

But, for reasons deeply rooted in history, the representation of these common traditions has remained vested in persons who are subjects of the United Kingdom. Custom has surrounded the King at his Coronation, not with the men who carry on his administration to-day, but with the successors of those who were the members of his household when his household and his Government were one. The Prime Minister and the Secretaries of State retire into a secondary rank, and for one day the potentates of an older world—the Lord High Steward and the Lord Great Chamberlain, the Constable, the Marshal, and the Champion—put on their ancient panoply and take the centre of the stage. The arrangement has something more than its historical associations to recommend it, for the persons of the pageant carry a symbolism larger than executive authority, and the velvet and cloth of gold they wear, having been laid up in the lavender of the centuries, are unsullied by the dust of the political arena. Ancient and ghostly offices such as these naturally do not exist in the Dominions. The representatives of these must necessarily be drawn from the high ranks of their public life as it is lived to-day; and the ceremonial has to be so planned that these eminent men may take their places, side by side with the more archaic figures of the United Kingdom, in a due and proper harmony.

This is a problem, partly for the King's separate Governments in the Dominions, partly for the new commission, which represents their joint interests. Suggestions for its solution may well seem fanciful. Each of the Dominions, for example, might think it seemly to



KING EDWARD VIII

devise and offer to His Majesty some symbolic service, analogous to those which are rendered on the Coronation day by the ancient officers of state. The Crown, which is the sole fountain of honour, but which would act on the advice of the Dominion Government concerned, might be pleased to create a titular dignity, to be borne for the occasion by the person rendering the service. That it is possible to devise suitable titles, wholly modern in substance but not lacking the stately ring of the antique, has been shown by the happy new creation of the Captain of the King's Flight. But in any case one consideration may be suggested without impertinence to the Dominion statesmen with whom it rests to tender advice to the Crown. This Coronation will in its turn become a source of tradition, slowly growing, we may all hope, through many centuries to come. Our ancestors, in order to provide for this continuous growth, attached most of the symbolic functions of the Coronation to the most permanent things they knew—family privilege and the tenure of land. The Dominions of the modern Commonwealth attach no such sanctity to the hereditary principle; nor is it to be supposed that the ancient tenure of grand serjeanty could be revived upon their soil. But it would be in the historic spirit of the Coronation if any service they may render to His Majesty that day were attached as a privilege in perpetuity to some public office likely to endure through the ages; so that, in a time when men speak of Anzac and Vimy as now they speak of Crecy, it may be possible for officers of the Dominions to say, as they come to Westminster Abbey, "This service, which now I perform, has been rendered on this spot by my predecessors in office, since Edward VIII came here to be crowned a thousand years ago." At any rate, if all concerned remember that they are not only heirs of a glorious and legendary past, but also ancestors, building up a legend to inspire a no less glorious future, the Coronation can be made worthy of the majesty of the Imperial Crown.

THE THINGS THEY SAY

If you want good love scenes film them at night. Never, never in the morning!—Director Clarence Brown.

I would rather play a small rôle in a really big picture than dominate every scene in a failure.—Miriam Hopkins.

War gives the greatest scope for villainy. With the gangster idea taboo, it's the screen's greatest chance for action.—Darryl Zanuck.

The public rather resents a happy ending in which it can't believe.—John Cromwell (the director).

DIARY OF LOCAL EVENTS

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 2.

Anniversaries and Holidays.—St. Stephen, King of Hungary.

Auctions.—Crown Land, at District Office, North, Taiipo, 11.30 a.m.

Cinemas.

King's.—"The Lady Is Willing."

Queen's.—"Man Hunt."

Oriental.—"Two In The Dark."

World.—"Chinese Picture."

Alhambra.—"O'Malley Of The Mounted."

Majestic.—"Unknown Woman."

Star.—"Two Fisted."

Dance.—Cheero Club Dance, 8 p.m.

Meetings.—L.C.A., at "Wesley," 15 Ventris Road, 3.45 p.m.; Kowloon Union Church Women's Guild, 10 a.m.; Monthly, Chinese Chamber of Commerce, Chamber's Board Room, Connaught Road Central, 2.30 p.m.

Miscellaneous.—"Parents' Evening" in St. Andrew's Church Hall, 5.30 p.m.; Claims against the Estate of James Harrop due.

Social.—Whist Drive at Sailors' Home and Seamen's Institute, 9 p.m.; Whist Drive and Tombola, at Garrison Sergeants' Mess, Queen's Road, 8.30 p.m.

Sports

Billiards.—Soldiers' Club Tournament final.

Racing.—Entries close for Macao Race Meeting, 4 p.m.

Moon.—VII Moon, 17th. Day.

Sunrise.—6.00 a.m. Sunset.—6.40 p.m.

Tides.—High at 9.24 and 22.45; Low at 3.00 and 16.02.

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 3.

Anniversaries and Holidays.—St. Serapia.

Cinemas.

King's.—"Sins Of Man."

Queen's.—"Return of Sophie Lang."

Oriental.—"Barbary Coast."

World.—"Chinese Picture."

Alhambra.—"Special Investigator."

Majestic.—"Unknown Woman."

Star.—"Two Fisted."

Social.—Prison Branch (M.C.L.) Whist Drive and Mah Jong, Cathedral Hall, 3 p.m.; Whist Drive, at Civil Service Cricket Club, 9 p.m.; Cheero Club Bridge and Mah Jong Drive, 8 p.m.; St. Andrew's Club "Open" Night, 9 p.m.

Sports

Tennis.—"C" Division, Kowloon Indoor T.C. v. Club de Reunion.

Moon.—VII Moon, 18th. Day.

Sunrise.—6.07 a.m. Sunset.—6.30 p.m.

Tides.—High at 10.15 and 22.36; Low at 3.46 and 16.24.

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 4.

Anniversaries and Holidays.—St. Rose of Viterbo.

Cinemas.

King's.—"Sins Of Man."

Queen's.—"Return of Sophie Lang."

Oriental.—"Barbary Coast."

World.—"Chinese Picture."

Alhambra.—"Special Investigator."

Majestic.—"Unknown Woman."

Star.—"Splendour."

Lectures.—Helena May Christian Fellowship Meeting, 10.30 a.m.

Social.—Cheero Club Duplicate Contract Bridge, 8 p.m.; No. 2 Platoon Supper at Volunteer Headquarters.

Sports

Bowls.—First Division, Kowloon Dock R.C. v. Tai Koo R.C., 5 p.m.

Swimming.—Entries close for Colony Championship (V.R.C.), 8 p.m.; Victoria R.C. v. Army (V.R.C. bath), 6 p.m.

Moon.—VII Moon, 19th. Day.

Sunrise.—6.07 a.m. Sunset.—6.38 p.m.

Tides.—High at 11.06 and 23.15; Low at 4.36 and 17.06.

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TO-DAY AT THE CINEMA

Hong Kong

KINGS:—
"The Lady Is Willing"

QUEEN'S:—
"Man Hunt"

ORIENTAL:—
"The Famous Dionne Quintuplets"
"Two In The Dark"

Kowloon

ALHAMBRA:—
"O'Malley of The Mounted"

MAJESTIC:—
"Unknown Woman"

STAR:—
"Two Fisted"

Coming

KINGS:—
"Sins of Man"

QUEEN'S:—
"Return of Sophie Lang"

ORIENTAL:—
"Barbary Coast"

ALHAMBRA:—
"Special Investigator"

MAJESTIC:—
"Smilin' Through"

STAR:—
"Splendour"

THE LADY IS WILLING

"The Lady Is Willing" the Columbia picture which is now showing at the King's Theatre, proved to be a gay and saucy bit of film fare.

Leslie Howard, acknowledged one of the finest present-day actors, plays the major role of Captain Latour, a French detective.

The plot, and intricate and novel romance, revolves around Howard and Binnie Barnes, a talented, beautiful actress. Miss Barnes, as Helene Dupont, wife of a wealthy financier, gives a splendid performance. Sir Cedric Hardwicke, well-known to both stage and screen audiences, portrays to perfection the financier, Dupont.

THRILLING PICTURE

"O'Malley Of The Mounted"
At Alhambra

George O'Brien, the man who is claimed to have brought back the kiddies to cinemas when there was a deluge of musicals, is at the Alhambra Theatre in a typical hard riding role that further enhances his reputation. This picture is "O'Malley of the Mounted" and as the name implies, deals with the adventures of the famous Canadian Mounted Police.

O'Brien is shown as a mountie sent on a man-hunt and although the picture has obvious weaknesses, it is gripping and its failures are easily forgiven. O'Brien's adventures include a daring jail-break when impersonating as a crook.

William S. Hart, himself a famous "cowboy" star of the silent days, wrote the story. It is a creditable effort—"Redneckin'".

"UNKNOWN WOMAN"

"Unknown Woman," Columbia's new, thrilling drama glorifying Federal undercover agents and revealing new secrets of the Secret Service will open to-day at the Majestic Theatre.

Awaited with greater eagerness, this exciting screen play, featuring the beautiful and blonde Marian Marsh and handsome Richard Cromwell, is replete with fast action, dangerous episodes, great courage and a charming romance.

It presents Miss Marsh in one of her most important screen roles.

In "Unknown Woman" Cromwell portrays an ambitious young lawyer.

The story was written by W. Scott Darling and adapted to the screen by Al De Mond and Fred Niblo, Jr. Al Rogell directed.

LONDON WENT MAD OVER DIETRICH

Everybody Interested In Her Private Life

Marlene Dietrich made the trip from Paris to London one afternoon recently.

The incredible scenes that accompanied this not very difficult feat must have astounded a lot of people which have hitherto regarded Miss Dietrich merely as a film actress—though a very talented and beautiful one.

The arrival of the boat-train at Victoria was organised with the decorous pomp more usually reserved for royalty.

A closed car stood waiting to whisk Miss Dietrich off to a reception held in her honour at a large West End hotel.

In a large room in that large hotel stood scores of men and women—all journalists. They were English, Irish, Welsh, Scottish, American.

They were waiting for one woman—Marlene Dietrich.

On her arrival she was led to a settee in a corner of the room. Everybody seemed interested in her private life. Nobody seemed interested in her as a film actress.

Miss Dietrich is in London to play in a film called "Knight Without Armour" with Robert Donat as her leading man.

NEWS FLASHES FROM HOLLYWOOD

Vincent Youmans' "Great Day," a stage musical romance, has been chosen by M.G.M. as the next film for Jeanette MacDonald and Nelson Eddy. The studio is also negotiating with Paramount for the rights of Victor Herbert's operetta for the same pair.

Gary Cooper is considering signing a contract with Sam Goldwyn when his present Paramount contract is concluded. Sam gave Gary his first big chance in "The Winning of Barbara Worth."

Isabel Jewell, who played the part of "the little seamstress" in "A Tale of Two Cities," has been signed by Columbia to appear with Ronald Colman again in his next picture, "Lost Horizon," which Frank Capra will direct.

W. P. Lipscomb, British scenarist of "Les Miserables," "A Tale of Two Cities" and "Under Two Flags," has written a play based on the life of Hannibal. He hopes to present it on Broadway.

Jackie Coogan is reported to be considering an offer to play in a British film. He is at present touring American musicals with his fiancée, Betty Grable.

Irene Dunne and Ann Harding have been definitely set to play in Paramount's "The Old Maid."

Twentieth-Century-Fox are to produce "Ladies in Love." The cast includes Constance Bennett, Janet Gaynor, Loretta Young, Simone Simon, Paul Lukas, Brian Donlevy, Don Ameche and Tyrone Power, Jun.

Ian Hunter and Claude Rains are to play with Kay Francis in "Mistress of Fashion," her next film for Warners.

Honour For Walt Disney

Walt Disney has been invited to join a distinguished French Committee of Patrons who are sponsoring a new national youth movement, the purpose of which is the artistic education of French children.

Boys and girls between the ages of 6 and 13 are eligible for membership in this organization, which is known as the "Club de la Vie en Fleur." The annual dues of 15 francs (about a dollar) will entitle members to free admission to selected stage plays, motion pictures and Punch and Judy shows, as well as to specially prescribed courses in music, painting and architecture.

The organizers of the movement explained that they were inviting Mr. Disney, who is not a Frenchman, to act as one of the sponsors, in recognition of the great artistic and cultural value of the Mickey Mouse and Silly Symphony films.

Mickey, the art instructor!

"Awful Let Down." His friend, Irving Berlin, published it, and it became one of America's current song successes.

So Fred is continuing with the good work. He's written another song (title still a secret) and will have it published any day now. Safety in "numbers"?

SIDE-LINE

Fred Astaire is one star who apparently doesn't believe in putting all his eggs into one basket. You might think those dancing feet would ensure him a pretty steady living—but Fred prefers to have a side-line as well.

A little while ago he dashed off a song, "I'm Building up to an

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FOX Release with
IRENE WARE
STANLEY FIELDS
Directed by David Howard

NEXT CHANGE **RICHARD DIX** in
"SPECIAL INVESTIGATOR"
an R-K-O Radio Picture

What Stars Are Doing

Victor Jory enthusiasts who were protesting about his ill-treatment recently will be interested to hear he is leaving Hollywood for a time.

Actually, he is on his way to Australia now. Cancelled a holiday trip to Scandinavia to go there.

The object, of course, is picture-making. Zane Grey, famous Western author, is the reason for Jory's trip.

Grey is producing films at the National studios (where Miles Mander made his Charles Farrell picture earlier this year).

He sent for Jory to play the lead in one. Jory went, hoping to get a bigger part in Australia than he has had lately in Hollywood.

Virginia Weidler is an up-and-coming young lady. Paramount, who employ her, are giving her the lead in the Elsie Dinsmore stories.

All about a rather impossibly good little girl. Very popular in your grandma's time.

Virginia, 8 years old, 47 inches tall, 51 pounds weight, is the daughter of a Hollywood architect. Started her screen career in "Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch," continued with "Laddie," "Peter Ibbotson" and the recently completed "Girl of the Ozarks."

Theda Bara, the vamp of vamps, is liable to slide across the screen again soon.

Paramount are planning a picture called "Hollywood Boulevard," which will introduce many of the silent stars of ten years (and more) ago.

Already approached to play in it are: Francis X. Bushman, Clara Kimball Young, Betty Compson and Charles Ray.

John Halliday has the leading rôle, and Paramount would like to add Miss Bara to the roster.

STAR

TO-DAY AND TO-MORROW

Just a pair of dukes in a dame-full drama that'll have you on the ropes...

Two Fisted

A Paramount Picture with
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ROScoe KARNs
GAIL PATRICK
KENT TAYLOR
Grace Bradley • Billy Lee
Directed by James Cruze

NEXT CHANGE
MIRIAM HOPKINS
in "SPLENDOR"

"MAN HUNT"

The story of "Man Hunt" (Warner Brothers) at the Queen's concerns the pursuit of an escaped bank robber by Federal agents and the part taken in it by a small town reporter and his sweetheart, a school teacher, the big city newspapermen and a doddering, romancing ex-sheep.

The cast is headed by Ricardo Cortez who is seen as the escaped bandit, Marguerite Churchill, William Gargan, and Charles (Chic) Sale.

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ACCIDENT AVERTED

Solicitor Has Narrow Escape

DRIVER OF BUS PROSECUTED

"It was lucky I was driving a small car otherwise there would have been an accident. I had to keep to the wall and my left mudguard was damaged," said Mr. M. W. Lo at the Central Police Court yesterday when prosecuting Ng Yuk, driver of China Motor Bus No. 415 for driving without due care and caution.

Mr. Lo explained that the incident occurred on August 23 at a bend just beyond Repulse Bay. He had his wife and two children with him at the time. The bus was being driven in the centre of the road.

"I did not see the number of the bus as my whole attention was occupied in driving. But my wife turned round and noted the number," Mrs. Lo suffered from shock.

"I regard this as a serious case of careless driving," concluded Mr. Lo.

Ng admitted the offence. A fine of \$25 was imposed.

Because of Ng's bad record as a driver, Mr. Schofield ordered that the accused's licence be dealt with by the I.G.P.

EUROPEANS FINED

Inspector General Of Police Almost In Accident

J. A. William, driver of private car No. 3062, was summoned before Mr. Schofield at the Central Police Court with disobeying signal lights at Jackson Road on August 15. A fine of \$20 was imposed.

Traffic Sergt. G. Youe stated that because defendant drove against the lights, an accident involving the Inspector General of the Police almost occurred at the junction of Jackson Road and Des Voeux Road Central.

The lights were for the Hon. Mr. T. H. King, and accused came up Jackson Road ignoring the signals.

Defendant was not present in Court, but sent a spokesman who admitted guilt.

E. W. Loveless, owner of the private car No. 1474, was fined \$10 for parking his car outside No. 14 Bowen Road on August 16. Inspector S. C. Saunders, of the Traffic Department, explained that special permission had to be obtained from the authorities to drive a vehicle along Bowen Road, which was otherwise closed to traffic.

OPIUM FOUND ON SHIP

Questions On Important Document

Certain passages in an official translation of a letter, by Fung Shui Kin, translator of the Secretariat for Chinese Affairs, were challenged by Mr. Hin Shing Lo in the continued hearing of the case against Yeung Chan Po, charged with doing an act preparatory to exporting raw opium on board the s.s. Hozan Maru, on July 28, at the Central Police Court yesterday.

It was alleged that 5,800 taels was involved. Fung Shui Kin, occupied the witness stand for over an hour, being thoroughly cross-examined over the translation he had made by Mr. Hin Shing Lo. At the conclusion, Mr. Lo apologised but stated that as the document was important, it was imperative that a careful and correct translation be made and it was with this end in view that he had cross-examined at length.

The case for the Crown was that acting on information, R.O. Ward and party conducted a search of the s.s. Hozan Maru on July 28 and found in one of the holds five wooden cases. Inside each of these cases were six tins, each containing 40 pounds of opium, a total of 5,800 taels. The consignor of the cases was the Nam Lung firm of which the defendant was the manager. The defendant had stated that the cases were the property of Mei Kee.

Mr. M. J. Abbott, Assistant crown solicitor, appeared for the prosecution.

The case was adjourned.

To Spend 20 Millions On Hawaii Base

13 Millions To Be Used On Navy Projects

New projects designed to make Honolulu, already the United States' greatest fleet and army base, a more finished, lethally effective defense outpost will be carried forward at a cost of \$20,000,000 this year.

In an exclusive survey it was learned that around \$13,000,000 will be poured into naval projects while army expenditures are expected to top \$7,000,000.

Along shores where volcanic rock and lava once bombarded any interloper, a terrifying new volcano of big guns, bombing planes, searchlights, rumbling trucks and other war paraphernalia is being readied to explode with destructive force at first approach of an enemy.

Roads are being pushed over Hawaii's strange, precipitous mountains to link strategic centres. Two highway projects on the island of Oahu alone will cost \$1,000,000 and will be primarily for army use.

Minute details are receiving closest attention as the business of giving the protection point for 6,000 miles of United States coastline a constant overhaul continues.

Should an emergency arise the civilian populace suddenly would find the two services in prompt control. An example of preparatory thoroughness: army bakers proudly display a loaf of "bread," made from taro root—native to the islands—and rice, which grows here in abundance. Dependence on mainland shipping for flour and other supplies the islands in time of stress might have to eat taro-rice bread and other pinch-belt rations.

This year's \$20,000,000, according to army and navy authorities, is but the first of a series of huge instalments to be spent on Pearl Harbour, Ft. Shafter, Schofield Barracks the many airfields on Oahu and other service bases.

A \$100,000,000 improvement programme, is scheduled for Pearl Harbour, which, according to 14th naval district commandant Rear Admiral Harry E. Yarnell, now is classed as a permanent major ship overhaul unit on the same footing as Mare Island, Puget Sound and east coast yards.

Major General Hugh A. Drum classes this year's expected \$7,000,000 army expenditures as the first part of a five-year, \$49,000,000 programme submitted to the last Congress.

Gen. Drum has asked that 25,000 soldiers be maintained as a peacetime complement in the islands, compared to the present 20,000. His five year plan calls for expenditure of some \$20,000,000 on defense requirements and approximately \$30,000,000 on housing facilities.

The "outside islands" of Maui, Molokai, Hawaii and Kauai are scheduled to receive new attention in the immediate future, with additional millions to build them into proper buttresses against attack. Typical of this trend was recent approval of two national guard armories for Molokai, and Kauai, to cost \$28,000, with the government supplying \$100,000 in equipment. Four guard companies will be added to bring the Hawaii National Guard strength to 1,950 men and officers at a monthly increase of \$500.

But Hawaii's defense chiefs are looking skyward mainly in their defense plans. Hawaii is slated to become the United States' greatest service air base if present plans are carried to fruition.

Georgian Mansion Moved by Train

While the removal of old buildings from Great Britain to America and their re-erection there has taken place on several occasions, the same thing has now been done within Great Britain—it is believed for the first time.

The owner of a fine old Georgian mansion in Suffolk was unable to find a house suitable to his requirements in the South of England

QUARREL OVER A DOLLAR

WOMAN INTERVENES AND IS HURT

Foo Lam, 29, locksmith, of 21, Pine Street was charged before Mr. E. Hinmworth at the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday for assault on Sze Mui, 50, 132 Fa Yuen Street, at 21, Pine Street on August 29. The defendant said that complainant's son went to his house and insulted his wife. She hit him and the defendant came to separate them and was, by mistake, also struck.

Sub-Inspector H. E. Rogers stated that the trouble was over \$1 which the complainant had borrowed from her son to give to the defendant's wife. The son objected to this and went to the defendant's house and asked for a receipt for the \$1.

The son and the complainant started a quarrel and the son insulted the defendant regarding his wife. The defendant picked up a chopper and struck the son. The complainant intervened and got wounded and was sent to hospital.

The defendant was bound over in a bond for \$20.

CORRUPTION ALLEGED

Woman Who Asked For Money

TO FIND STOLEN BICYCLE

Leung Sze, 36, married woman, residing at 241, Tam Kung Road, appeared before Mr. E. Hinmworth at the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday, for having corruptly obtained from Tang Wing Wong the sum of \$3, on August 31, at Hak Po Road, for assistance in recovering his stolen bicycle.

Sub-Inspector H. E. Rogers said that the complainant came to the police and stated that he had hired the cycle out to a soldier. About 1.30 p.m. the complainant reported that the defendant had arranged to take him where his bicycle was on payment of \$3. The complainant gave her \$3 which were marked by the police. The defendant took the complainant to a house on Hak Po Road and on the staircase found the bicycle. The machine was without saddle and handle bars.

The defendant was fined \$10 or, in default, one month's imprisonment.

YOUTH TO STAND TRIAL

Counterfeit Coins Possession

Maintaining that he had picked up a parcel containing coins, Tsui Fan, aged 22, was committed by Mr. Balfour to stand his trial at the next Criminal Sessions on a charge of possession of 342 counterfeit ten cent pieces at the Central Magistracy yesterday.

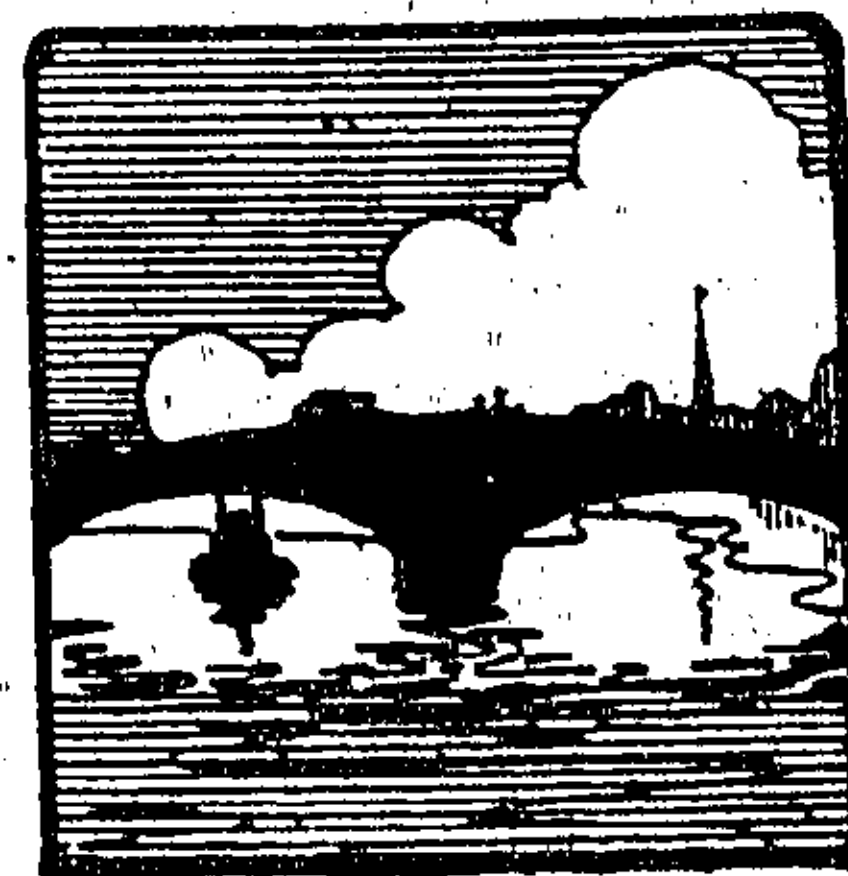
His Worship ruled that the accused had a case to answer.

Sub-Inspector M. J. Flattery said that the youth was seen by a Chinese Revenue Officer leaving the s.s. Tai Shan on August 16, with a parcel wrapped in newspaper. Tsui ran away when the officer approached to search him, and threw away the parcel. An Indian watchman arrested Tsui.

At the police station, accused said that he had picked up the parcel on board the ship.

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Around the Courts

THREE MEN GAOLED

Three men were each sentenced to a month in gaol by Mr. Balfour at the Central Police Court yesterday for victimising a young widow of a quantity of jewellery and clothing from her residence at No. 43 Caine Road.

Detective-Sergt. T. Cashman said that the men Lam Lung, 24, Ng Sek, 20, and Sun Siu Hung, 21, were arrested on the Ping On Wharf, preparatory to leaving the Colony after having perpetrated a theft.

Mak Kam, 28, charged with receiving stolen goods, was discharged owing to lack of evidence.

CONFISCATION ORDER

A cargo of sugar, transhipped by the s.s. Seistan and unclaimed was confiscated by the authorities following a formal application by Sergt. Davis at the Central Magistracy yesterday. The quantity was stated to be 270 lbs, found on board the vessel on Sunday.

CHARGE NOT PROVED

Charges of assault on P.C.C. 380, were preferred against Alvaro Liguel Archardo Souza, salesman living at No. 10, Pak Tai Street, at the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday before Mr. E. Hinmworth.

Defendant stated that he did not strike the constable but merely pushed his hand away.

Sergeant Banks stated that there was no evidence to show that Souza

struck the constable, in fact the story of the constable, himself, pointed to a push and no blow. There had been no injury.

After the testimony had been given by the constable, His worship stated that he did not think that there was evidence to convict and discharged the defendant.

ILL-TREATMENT ALLEGED

Ill-treatment of two girls, both aged 13 years was alleged in a charge against Chan Tai Mui, 54, widow of No. 27 King Kwong Street, first floor, brought before Mr. W. Schofield at the Central Police Court yesterday.

The defendant was remanded on the application of Inspector H. W. Fraser, of the S.C.A., for 48 hours.

A further charge of keeping Mak Kwal Tan alias Chuk Kwai, and Au Mui, Chiu Kwal without registration, was also instigated.

THEFT ON SHIP

Choi Sung, alias Wong Chi, 40, cook of No. 17 Wai Ching Street, Tsol Uh Wai village, Shum Chun, appeared before Mr. E. Hinmworth at the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday charged with theft of a tin of tea and two tins of biscuits on August 31 from the m.v. Thurland Castle, lying at the Texas Company's Wharf. The Chief Steward, Fong Chong, appeared as a witness. His Worship fined defendant \$5, in default, two weeks in gaol.

CHINESE HEROINE

Mrs. Wu Lien Teh's Latest Book

'BEAUTY IN EXILE'

For two thousand years, until the coming by sea of the Western Barbarians, the history of China was the history of her Northern frontier. The powerful nomad tribes from the outer darkness, the Chih, the Hsiung Nu, and the Manchus, wearying of a life of agricultural respectability, would break through the Great Wall and, on their raw plebeian ponies, sweep down into the lush lands. Sometimes, caught in silken languors, they stayed to found kingdoms which in the space of a century or two were sucked back into the belly of the Chinese dragon. But frequently they came in no conquering mood, filled merely with a healthy impulse towards mischief and rapine; on these occasions they could often be persuaded to go home by the bribe of a few high-sounding titles, treasure, or pretty women.

A CONCUBINE

One of these pretty creatures, sacrificed to the barbarian Minotaur, was the incomparable Chao Chun (B.C. 53—A.D. 18), a beauty of the Han Court, whose story, suitably romanticized to suit Chinese susceptibilities, is told in "Beauty in Exile" (Kelly and Walsh) by Shu Ching (Mrs. Wu Lien-teh). The bare facts of her life are romantic enough. She was a concubine to the luxurious and ineffectual Emperor Yuan Ti when her beauty caught the eye of the Khan Hu Han Hsieh whilst on one of his expeditions into China. Fired with the idea of transplanting an exotic Chinese lily to his own sandy Court, he carried her off, together with some of her ladies, beyond the Great Wall, where he subsequently married her, Chao Chun soon became the darling of the Hsiung Nu.

CONSTABLE COMMITTED

To Face Murder Charge At Sessions

Bhag Singh, a constable of the Hong Kong Police Force, charged with the murder of a fellow-constable, Sahib Singh, at the Central Police Station barracks on July 26 was committed to stand his trial at the next Sessions, by Mr. W. Schofield at the Central Magistracy yesterday.

Bhag Singh intimated that he would reserve his defence. Mr. E. H. Williams, Assistant Attorney General, conducted the case for the Crown, while the defendant was represented by Mr. W. M. Brown.

and by her tact and political foresight helped her husband in the control of his unruly subjects. At his death she married his son, and continued to hold sway over Outer Mongolia until her own death at the age of sixty-five.

TRIPLE INSIDIP

In the course of two millenniums this remarkable woman has become, in common with all Chinese heroines, a trifle insipid. Round the charm and courage which must have been hers, Chinese convention has stuck a glaze of negative virtues; she is extolled in a hundred poems for her patience, humility, self-sacrifice, and other Confucian virtues. But neither these nor the sweet egg-face that simpered out from the silken depths of her portraits give any clue to the real personality of this woman whose grave in Suiyuan, two thousand years after her death, is visited yearly by thousands of pilgrims. Neither, alas, does the work of Mrs. Wu Lien-teh bring any further to life this tantalising shadow which once fell across the Great Wall. Rosamund Harcourt-Smith in the "Times."

Hong Kong Without Tuberculosis Sanitarium

But Palliative Treatment Given In Hospitals

NO GENERAL INCREASE IN MALARIA CASES

Urban Council Replies

Replying to questions asked about malaria and tuberculosis at the Urban Council Meeting yesterday afternoon, the Chairman, Mr. R. R. Todd, stated that there was no proof that malaria in the Colony had increased generally, and that as regards tuberculosis there were no special facilities for its treatment in the Colony. By that the Chairman meant there was no tuberculosis sanitarium, but palliative treatment was given in all hospitals.

The Chairman further stated that it was not considered practicable to attempt to prevent spitting in public places by legislation. "The only means by which this habit will be eliminated is the gradual education of the public," he added.

Dr. Li Shu Fan asked:—

"With reference to the prevalence of malaria in the Colony, will the Chairman kindly furnish answers to the following questions?"

1. Is it a fact that there has been quite an increase of malaria during recent months?

2. What are the comparative figures of admissions to hospitals of malaria cases during (a) the latter half of 1934 and 1935 (b) the first half of 1935 and 1936?

3. If the answer to 1 is in the affirmative, (a) to what causes is the increase of the prevalence ascribed, and (b) what special measures, if any, are being taken by Government to control and to minimize the spread of the disease?

4. What are the percentages of deaths to cases admitted to hospitals among European patients and Chinese patients during the periods mentioned in II?

5. As far as ascertainable, which are considered the worst infected districts within the urban area? The Chairman replied as follows:—

1. The figures of admissions to Government institutions for the months of May, June and July this year show an increase over those of 1934 and 1935. These figures are however so small in comparison with those of the general population that they in themselves are of little value in deciding whether the malaria situation as a whole is better or worse than it was.

2. The number of malaria cases admitted to hospital during the second half of 1934 was 1,389, during the second half of 1935 the number of admissions was 2,072. During the first half of 1935 the number of cases was 544, for the first half of 1936 the number of admissions to Government hospitals was 280; the number of admissions to private hospitals and to the Chinese charity hospitals is not yet available.

NO CAUSE FOR SPECIAL MEASURES

3. There being no proof that malaria has increased generally no cause has arisen for any special measures to control or minimise the spread of this disease.

4. The percentages of deaths to cases admitted were as follows:—

| | 2nd half 1934 | 2nd half 1935 | 1st half 1935 | 1st half 1936 |
|-----------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|
| Europeans | Nil | Nil | Nil | Nil |
| Chinese | 0.29 | 6.41 | 6.62 | 1.07 |

5. The figures available appear to indicate that no district in the Urban area can truthfully be called malarious at the present time. The most potential carriers of malaria being hill breeding anophelines the areas most likely to become affected are those within flying distance of the breeding grounds of such anophelines.

Dr. S. N. Chau asked:—

"In view of the alarming number of tuberculosis cases returned each week as compared with other notifiable cases, will the Government state:—

(a) What steps have been taken, or will be taken, to combat this disease;

(b) What facilities are there for the treatment of such disease;

(c) Whether it is proposed to prevent overcrowding in tenement houses; and

(d) Whether steps will be taken to prohibit the filthy habit of spitting in public places."

The Chairman replied:—

(a) For the steps that have been taken to combat tuberculosis see the answers to questions (b) and

(c). It is not as yet possible to state what steps will be taken in the future. The spread of the disease is, ultimately, due to the poverty of a large part of the population and to the ignorance inseparable from poverty. Any action possible on the part of the Government or of charitable institutions must, in the circumstances, be palliative and remedial; full success in preventive methods is not to be expected in the Colony which in this respect cannot be considered as isolated from the neighbouring parts of China.

(b) There are no special facilities for the treatment of tuberculosis in the Colony, that is to say there is no tuberculosis sanitarium but palliative treatment is given in all hospitals.

TENEMENT OVERCROWDING

(c) Under the peculiar conditions existing in Hong Kong it is extremely difficult to prevent overcrowding in tenement houses. Such cases of gross overcrowding as come to the notice of the Sanitary Department are dealt with under the Public Health (Sanitation) Ordinance. A Commission has been appointed to enquire into the housing difficulties in Victoria and Kowloon with special reference to overcrowding and its effect on tuberculosis. This Commission is at present engaged in the preliminary examination of the issues involved.

(d) It is not considered practicable to attempt to prevent spitting in public places by legislation. The only means by which this habit will be eliminated is the gradual education of the public. Anti-spitting notices are issued free of charge to all premises licensed by the Urban Council and spitting in these premises elsewhere than into spittoons is prohibited by law. Hygiene instructions given in all schools in the Colony explain the danger of the habit and gives warning against it, but it is to be feared that the warning reaches only a minority of the population.

Present at the meeting besides Mr. Todd were Hon. Dr. A. R. Wellington (Director of Medical and Sanitary Services) Hon. Mr. A. G. W. Tickle (Director of Public Works), Hon. Mr. W. J. Carrie (Secretary for Chinese Affairs), Mr. E. C. Hall, Dr. Li Shu Fan, Mr. A. J. Arcull, Dr. S. N. Chau, Mr. W. N. Thomas, Mr. B. Wong Tape, Mr. C. Champkin, Secretary (Mr. C. J. Roe), Asst. Secretary (Mr. Im Ping-tseung).

FORTHCOMING WEDDINGS

The forthcoming weddings are shortly to be solemnized: Georges Lawson, 20, of 4a, Hankow Road, Kowloon to Helen Lee, of 21, Canton Road.

Joseph August Mahung, 24, Secretary of A. B. Moulder and Co., residing at 8, Morrison Hill Road, to Chung Shau Ying, 19, of 39, Yiu Wah St., Hong Kong.

Martinho Vicente de Faria Neves, of the Hong Kong Electric Co., to Laurinda Xavier Marques, 27, of Rue Nova d'Guia 19, Macao, Ramon Legaspi, 27, reporter, of 22, Nga Tsin Long Road to Rosario Cuadras, 18, of 29, Tai Street, Kowloon.

GOVERNOR CONVALESCING

His Excellency the Governor left the Victoria Hospital on Monday afternoon and is convalescing for a brief period at Mountain Lodge.

VOLUNTEER NAVAL FORCE ORDERS

The Hong Kong Naval Volunteer Force orders for September are as follows:—

Executive Officer for September, Lt. Griev.

Appointments.

Extract from "Government Gazette" No. 44 of August 14, 1936: No. 876.—It is hereby notified that His Excellency Sir Andrew Caldecott, C.M.G., C.B.E., has been pleased to accept the position of Honorary Captain of the Hong Kong Naval Volunteer Force.

The following have been appointed, by His Excellency the Governor, to be Cadets in the H.K.N.V.F. with effect from July 6, 1936:—Alan Colville Johnstone, Norman Ernest Clark, George Merittman, John Gordon Gifford-Hull, John Bertrand Brunswick Shaw, William Ewing Stephenson, John Anthony Vivian Hart-Davis, Patrick Donald Metcalfe Munro, Alistair MacDonald Mack, Jack Yuan Hutton-Potts, Gerald Hollingsworth Bond.

Reference Standing Orders No. 20:—

Text Books are ready for distribution to new members and should be collected at once from the Town Office. Officers possessing old copies of "Mark V. Sweep Drill" (Book), may have a new revised copy in exchange for the old copy. The pilotage Lecture has also been revised and copies are available.

Confirmation in Rank:—His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve of the confirmation in rank of the following officers:

Sub-Lieutenant:—G. C. Dudley, Seniority as Cadet, 30.6.35; Seniority in present rank, 1.12.35. Cadets:—H. M. Cockle, D. E. Hindmarsh, W. W. C. Shewan, 22.1.35.

Resignation:—His Excellency the Governor has approved of the resignation of Cadet B. D. G. Barlow from the Hong Kong Naval Volunteer Force as from July 6, 1936.

Typhoon on August 17, 1936:—A report under this heading will be circulated to all officers of the Executive Branch.

Drills for Officers:—In the ship at 5.45 p.m. unless otherwise stated.

Tuesday, September 8:—A and B Bends and Hitches (Ref. Manual p. 55-58); Instructor, Lt. Grenham.

Tuesday, September 15:—A and B Minesweeping; 2 launches, using Double Sweep.

Cd. Gnr. Warren will supply eight ratings to each launch.

No. 1 launch: Capt. Sug-Lt. Baker; Executive Officer: Cadet Cockle.

No. 2 launch: Capt. Sub-Lt. Meekie; Executive Officer: Sub-Lt. Dudley.

(Reference: Sweep Drill Book) Dress: Overall.

Launches leave, Queen's Pier 5.15 p.m.

Tuesday, September 22:—A and B "The Evolution of the Modern Gun."

Lecturer: Lieut. Moncrieff. Tuesday, September 29:—A. Sextant and how to use it.

Instructor: Lt.-Cdr. R. S. Barry, R.N.

B. "Rule of the Road." Lecturer: Sub-Lt. Kilbee.

Tuesday, October 6:—A. Method of Working out Sun and Star Sights. Instructor: Lt.-Cdr. Barry, R.N.

B. Gun Drill. Instructor: Lieut. Grenham.

(Reference: "Notes on 4in. Gun Drill").

Voluntary Drills. Fridays at 5.45 p.m. in the ship.

GARDEN PARTY

The Vicar of St. Andrew's Church, Rev. J. R. Higgs and Mrs. Higgs are giving a garden party in the Church grounds on Saturday afternoon.



An enthusiastic welcome was given to the Chief Scout, Lord Baden-Powell, when he attended the Scout Rally held at Home Park, Plymouth.

GARRISON WOLF CUBS TO ENTERTAIN

'PARENTS' EVENING' AT KOWLOON

General To Present Colours

Parents of boys in the 4th Kowloon (Garrison) Pack of Wolf Cubs are to be entertained by the lads in St. Andrew's Church Hall, Kowloon this afternoon.

A fine programme has been arranged and the entertainment will get under way at 5.30 p.m.

Of special interest will be the presentation of Colours by His Excellency the G.O.C., Major General A. W. Bartholomew, C.B., C.M.G., C.B.E., D.S.O. This important ceremony will take place at the conclusion of part one of the programme and before the commencement of the second half.

PROGRAMME

The programme is as follows:—

1. The First Bone.—Who we are, what we are.
2. A Nasty Bone.—Inspection.
3. A Snaky Bone.—The Dance of Kaa.
4. A Tough Bone.—Just a Little Exercise.
5. Just A Bone.—Sketch.
6. A Knotty Bone.—Relay Race.
- A Special Bone: Presentation of Colours by H.E. Major General A. W. Bartholomew.

Part II.

1. A dry Bone.—Just a Few Words, C.M.
2. No Bones above These.—Tableaux.

JAPANESE LAWYER PASSES

The death has occurred at Karuzawa, Japan, following his being thrown from a horse, of Mr. N. Tanaka, a leading Japanese lawyer. Mr. Tanaka, who was trained for the law, for a time was in the Japanese diplomatic service, being stationed as attaché in Paris and as third secretary in Warsaw. He returned to Tokyo after some years in the field and from 1925 to March 31 of this year was an interpreter in the Swiss Legation in Tokyo, in addition to his law practice. Toward the close of last year, representing Emil Ludwig, the German author of "July 14," Mr. Tanaka won his case against a Japanese Publishing firm which had issued a Japanese translation without the author's permission and obtained a judgment. The publicity accompanying this legal victory brought him so much business that he was able to retire from the Swiss Legation post.

TRADE MARK CONVICTION APPEAL ALLOWED

Decision Of Commercial Importance

MAGISTRATE OVER-ruled

Before the Full Court yesterday, the Chief Justice, Sir Athol MacGregor, sitting with the Acting Puisne Judge, Mr. J. J. Hayden, allowed the appeal of the Paul Battery Company and the Sunlight Company, against the conviction against them for infringing Trade Mark No. 211 of 1928, owned by the National Carbon Co. of America, and used by their subsidiary company, the Eveready Co.

At the Magistracy a fortnight ago, a further summons for infringing the 1930 Trade Mark of the Eveready Co. was dismissed.

In his judgment the Chief Justice said: "On the evidence before me, the trade marks of the Paul Battery Company and the Sunlight Company did not sufficiently resemble the National Carbon Company as to be calculated to deceive, and for that reason the appeals will be allowed, the conviction quashed, and fines and costs must be refunded."

His Lordship attached great commercial importance to this appeal, and added that the reasons would be given later.

Mr. H. G. Sheldon, K.C., instructed by Mr. G. K. Hall Brutton, appeared for the appellants, and Mr. Leo D'Amada, junr., instructed by Mr. G. S. Hughes, of Messrs. Wilkinson and Grist, were for the respondents.

Mr. R. A. S. Waters, of the National Carbon Company, was present in Court.

GROUND FOR APPEAL

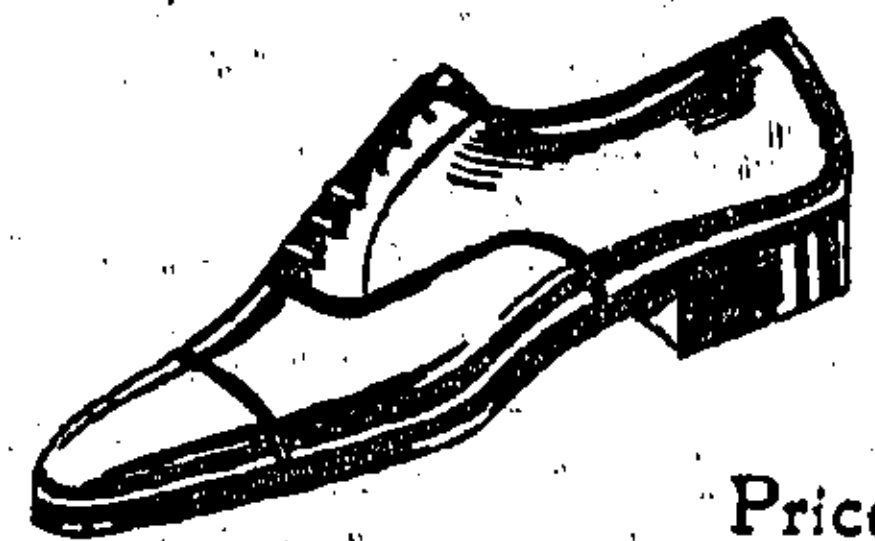
In his opening Mr. Sheldon said that the appeal was on the ground that the conviction was erroneous

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MENUS ARE
NOT ALWAYS
MEANINGLESS

Apologies of the special article in the "Hong Kong Daily Press" on Saturday entitled, "Are Menus Meaningless?" it is interesting to note that at Montreux recently M. Latvinnoff, Soviet's suave Commissioner for Foreign Affairs, objected to a tax amounting to "one-eighth" of the regular tariff on a bill of fare, "Praises à la Romanoff." Doubtless he felt that the deep crimson of the strawberries should have suggested an appellation more modern than the "ancient regime" and, incidentally, one perhaps, more appropriate in colour.

The incident recalls the disturbance to another famous Russian, this time an operatic prima donna, Lydia Lipkowska, internationally famed coloratura, was a brilliant and beloved member of the Boston Opera Company when the city on the Charles possessed its own excellent troupe of singing artists. To the dining room of her hotel Mme. Lipkowska had invited quite a large party of friends.

Hardly were they seated when their hostess became visibly agitated. The headwaiter hurried up, disappeared hastily, and the hotel manager came bowing, gesticulating, reproaches, excuses, profound regrets. All unavailing, Mme. Lipkowska would not be appeased.

Neither could she be amused. By what right had they conferred her name upon a dessert? "Soufflé à la Lipkowska!" "Forsooth," or words to that effect. The prima donna swept from the table. The party made a dramatic exit to make its entrance upon another scene.

With that amazing prescience peculiar to press agents, it happened that the talented and lovely singer's personal manager had chosen that very same evening to invite a crowd of newspaper reporters to dinner at the same hotel. So strange are the coincidences in a publicity promoter's career! Naturally enough, such a ripping story was too good not

MISHAP AT POPULAR
BATHING BEACHSampan Capsizes
With Party AboardTWO PORTUGUESE
THROWN INTO WATER

BOTH INJURED

An accident which might have had more serious consequences had not assistance been rendered immediately, marred a picnic on Sunday wherein some eighty members of the Portuguese community went to Clear Water Bay.

The party, mostly from the Club de Recreio, left Kowloon at 8 a.m. and arrived at Clear Water Bay two hours later. Picnickers disembarked from the launch to the shore by means of sampans which were rowed by two men.

The third trip was about to begin when some of the party, in getting on board the sampan, stepped on to the side and so precipitated those already on board into the water. The casiness with which the sampan turned was the direct result of the round bottom of the boat.

Two of the ladies were injured slightly but suffered mainly from shock. Miss Alda Noronha was hit by one of the male members of the party in the fall. She was quickly dragged from the water and was given medical assistance. The shock and sudden immersion incapacitated Miss Noronha for about half-an-hour.

Miss M. Remedios was struck a glancing blow by the overturning boat. She soon recovered, however, and was none the worse for the mishap.

POLICE OFFICER
PASSESSergeant Mintey
Of The C.I.D.

The death occurred at the Government Civil Hospital shortly after 11 o'clock last night of Sergeant Fred Mintey a very popular member of the Criminal Investigation Department of the Hong Kong Police.

It was only three weeks ago that the deceased officer, who had six years' service, returned from home leave. He was posted to Shaokwan and a few days ago was transferred to West Point on C.I.D. duty. Sergeant Mintey played cricket for the Police Club, being a very useful left hand bowler.

He hailed from Walsall, near Birmingham, and was 29 years old. He was unmarried and leaves a brother in England.

HOME AIR
MAIL WILL
BE LATEDorado Due
Here To-day

Imperial Airways (Far East) Limited request to announce that a serious delay on the Persian Gulf sector of their main route has necessitated the R. M. A. Dorado leaving Penang without the Europe and Near East mail on board to enable the Homeward mails to be despatched from Hong Kong to schedule.

The Europe and Home mails due in Hong Kong to-day will therefore arrive approximately one week late.

The R. M. A. Dorado was expected to leave Penang with mails from India, Malaya and Australia at 10 a.m. yesterday morning. She is due in Hong Kong this morning.

KWANGSI'S NEW
AERODROME

Wuchow, Sept. 1.

Owing to the old aerodrome site at Wuchow being damaged by the recent heavy rains, the Kwangsi military authorities have now decided to use the parade ground at Sham Kwok Tsui as a temporary aerodrome.

It is reported that the work of enlarging the aerodrome has already commenced and nobody is allowed to enter the ground during working hours.—*Chinese Evening Post.*

SINO-JAPANESE
CO-OPERATIONMr. Wang To Carry
Out Plans

Shanghai, Sept. 1.

Mr. Wang Keh-min, chairman of the financial committee of the Hopen-Chahar Political Council is proceeding to Tsingtao this morning en route to Peiping to formally assume his new post.

The Chinese press believes a general agreement has been reached between Sino-Japanese economic co-operation in North China and Mr. Wang is instructed to carry out the plans.—*Reuter.*



QUEEN WILHELMINA

NEW PEACE
FORMULANanking-Kwangsi
DisputeMISSION LEAVING
FOR NANNING

Shanghai, Sept. 1.

A new formula for a peaceful solution of the Kwangsi embroglio has been reportedly completed by General Chiang Kai-shek following an important conference of high Government officials in Canton.

The peace mission including Dr. Wang Chung-hui and Mr. Chu Cheng President of the Judicial Yuan, is expected to leave for Nanking by air to-day to present General Chiang Kai-shek's new peace terms, details of which have not been divulged.

Meanwhile the Kwangsi troops who invaded south-western Kwangtung are reported to be digging in and building elaborate defence works at Hapu.—*Reuter.*

WAR DANGER
INCREASESBellicose Attitude In
Kwangsi

Canton, Sept. 1.

The danger of the imminent outbreak of hostilities has been increased by the resolute and bellicose attitude of General Tsai Ting-kai and the other leaders of the 19th Route Army, which has been recently recruited and reorganized under General Tsai's personal supervision.

A few days ago a manifesto was issued at Nanning by Generals Tsai Ting-kai and Chiang Kwong-nai announcing the resurrection and complete reorganization of the 19th Route Army, and announcing their determination to fight and resist invaders and exterminate traitors, and the greatest enthusiasm prevails in the army.

Generals Li Tsung-jen and Pei Chung-hsi have sent General Tsai Ting-kai 30,000 well-trained recruits to be incorporated in the 19th Route Army as the 51st and 78th Divisions, and it is stated that South-West Kwangtung will be permanently occupied.

Owing to the occupation of Lin Kong by the Kwangsi troops, troops under General Yung, and the great activity of the Kwangsi military leaders, the local inhabitants are much excited and alarmed.

It is also reported that Mr. Eugene Chen has secretly arrived in Nanning, where he is busy conferring with the Kwangsi leaders.

SUSPECTS ARRESTED

Since General Tsai Ting-kai's return to Kwangsi he has been busily engaged in recruiting men for the reorganization of the 19th Route Army.

It is reported that on August 28, three suspects believed to have been sent by General Tsai Ting-kai as recruiting officers were arrested here on secret information, and have been detained at the Army Headquarters for questioning.—*Chinese Evening Post.*

AGRICULTURAL
CONFERENCE

London, Sept. 1.

Twenty three countries are represented among the 200 delegates attending the fourth international conference of agricultural economists which is proceeding at St. Andrew's University, Scotland. The delegates were formally welcomed last night by the Minister of Agriculture, Mr. Walter Elliot.—*British Wireless.*

DUTCH QUEEN'S BIRTHDAY

In celebration of the Birthday of Queen Wilhelmina of the Netherlands a most enjoyable "Rijstafel" party was held on Sunday at the residence of the President of the Dutch Club, Mr. J. C. Mantel, who is the popular manager of the Netherlands Trading Society.

SOONG INVITED
TO CANTONDevelopment Work
In Sight

Canton, Sept. 1.

It is reported that Marshal Chiang Kai-shek has telegraphed to Mr. T. V. Soong, Head of the National Economic Council, inviting him to Canton to consider important schemes for the development of the industry and commerce of the Kwangtung Province.

Accordingly, Mr. T. V. Soong has decided to leave Shanghai for Canton on or before September 10. The gold and silver currency questions will be also dealt with, and likewise measures for the development of the important and valuable mineral and natural resources of Hainan Island.

It is well-known that Mr. T. V. Soong has been most successful in developing Shensi, Kansu and Shansi during recent years, and it is hoped that he will be equally successful in developing Kwangtung, Kwangsi, Hunan and Kiangsi Provinces.—*Chinese Evening Post.*

CENTRAL TROOPS
ON MOVE

Nanning, Sept. 1.

It is reported that troops of the Central Government under General Hu Chung-nam are on the move towards Ping Lok and Kwei Lin of Kwangsi Province, and are co-operating with the troops under General Koo. Chuk-tung advancing in the South.

Aeroplane of the Central Government are making a daily reconnaissance of the Lou Chow, Ping Lok and Wuchow Districts of Kwangsi Province.—*Chinese Evening Post.*

HOME CRICKET
RESULTS

Hammond Scores 317

London, Sept. 1.

The following were the results of cricket matches concluded to-day: Middlesex beat Surrey by 256 runs at Lord's. Middlesex 280 (Hendren 104, Gover 5 for 59) and 280 (Hendren 101). Surrey 127 (Slims 6 for 45) and 157. Derbyshire, the champions, beat Leicestershire at Oakham by 155 runs. Worcester beat Essex by 185 runs. Worcester 319 and 179. Essex 183 (Perks 6 for 60) and 125 (Howarth 5 for 50).

Gloucestershire, at home, beat Nottingham by an innings and 70 runs. Nottingham 200 and 215. Gloucester 485 (Hammond 317).—*Reuter.*

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Then Read This

THEY WERE TIRED OF THE CITY. FOR A YOUNG COUPLE, MARRIED ONLY THREE YEARS, THEY SEEMED UNUSUALLY PREMATURE IN THEIR DESIRE FOR THE COUNTRY.

But they finally found a home that figuratively called to them. I don't know that you could really call it a home. It may have been one once. It is one now. But the interval between covered many years.

I saw the place before they purchased it and found it difficult to wax enthusiastic, but perhaps, lacking the foresight or the longing they had.

The old place slouched by the roadside. There were four century-old rock maples, equally spaced, between the buildings and the road. The view was magnificent—great rolling hills of timber and squares of field, a strip of sparkling river far below. Then mile upon mile of breathless view.

But it was the condition of the house that dampened my enthusiasm. There were four rooms downstairs and an unfinished attic reached by a rickety ladder. All the plastering was either gone, leaving skeletal strips of lathing, or was blackened beyond all hope. The ceilings gaped into the darker recesses above. The floors actually rippled, alternate moisture and drought having waged an endless tug-of-war. A rusty iron sink, braced by crude wooden cross-pieces, crowded into a lightless corner. Outside, strips of tar paper and odd pieces of tin patched up a decaying roof. The one chimney leaned precariously, gaping fallen bricks like a teething youngster. The shingles on the walls were curled, blackened and veined with many seasons of untended use.

For four years they saved and worked, secure in a growing affection for the country place and its possibilities. They began by tearing out everything except the frame. Even the chimney was torn down. Then, bit by bit, they rebraced the sagging underpinning, laid new flooring, and put in walls of specially prepared plaster. A white sink replaced the old rusty one. The attic became two finished rooms. They hired a mason to build a new chimney.

I went to see the place again, four years after my first visit. The quiet beauty that had grown out of such hopelessness fairly enthralled me. They haven't a large income. They can't even afford their old car. But by careful saving—yes, even self-denial—they have created security and happiness.

Their plans for the future seem almost endless. Running water pressured by a gasoline motor and a storage tank; a gas stove fed from cylinders, an oil heater, a cellar, a rock garden.

In a way I envy them. They have found a pleasure that reaps its own reward. They can constantly improve their place and continually derive an increasing affection for it. They have made a wise investment—an investment that promises far more than economic security.

C.W.W.

LOCAL AND GENERAL

A meeting of the Council of the Hong Kong Football Association will be held in the Association Offices, King's Building, on Tuesday, September 8, at 5.30 p.m.

A dinner dance will be held on the Open Roof of Repulse Bay Lido—weather permitting—and at the Repulse Bay Hotel in event of bad weather, on Wednesday, September 2, 1936 at 9 p.m.

Two cases of enteric fever were notified to the local Health Authorities on Monday.

Twelve cases (one imported) with one death from enteric fever, one fatal case from diphtheria, and 63 deaths from tuberculosis were notified to the local Health Authorities during the week-ended August 23.

At the Urban Council Meeting yesterday an application of No. 106,

Wing Lok Street, first and second floors to the eating house licence for No. 112, whole house; Nos. 108 and 110, first, second and third floors, Wing Lok Street, was granted subject to the erection of another staircase in No. 108 and installation of hard wood doors two inches thick, to the satisfaction of the Fire Brigade.

The annual general meeting of St. Andrew's Club will be held in St. Andrew's Church Hall on September 24 at 9 p.m.

Mr. Henry Philbrick Nelson, the brilliant young English surgeon, who died on June 24 from blood-poisoning, caused by a finger-prick while operating, left estate of the value of £3,835. After his death a memorial fund for his family was opened by an appeal signed by Lord Horder and others.

ASSASSINATION ATTEMPT FAILS

Eight Men Arrested In Burgos

REVOLVERS AND POISON FOUND

Immediate Execution After Court Martial Trial

(“Hong Kong Daily Press” Special)

Lisbon, Sept. 1. Attempts on the lives of the Nationalist leaders, Generals Franco and Cabanellas, were narrowly averted, according to reports here from Spain, which state that the military police of the insurgents arrested eight men, who confessed to have been sent to Burgos by the Comintern to assassinate the leaders of the Nationalist forces.

The police searched the would-be assassins and found that they were provided with revolvers and poison. It is reported that the eight men were immediately tried by court martial, which sentenced them to death. The execution was carried out immediately afterwards.

The bodyguards of General Franco and General Cabanellas have been considerably reinforced in order to prevent a repetition of this occurrence.—Transocean News Service.

ARMISTICE RUMOURS

Paris, Sept. 1. Rumours persist on the Franco-Spanish border that the leader of the Spanish Nationalists, General Mola, has come to France to confer with the leaders of the Basques to conclude an armistice with them if possible.

These rumours are given some amount of credence in informal quarters here, where it is stated that the reluctance of the Nationalists to begin the bombardment may be due to the fact that they want to await the outcome of the negotiations first.—Transocean News Service.

INSURGENTS' CLAIMS

Paris, Sept. 1. The Nationalist troops inflicted a decisive defeat on the Government troops in Oropeza, 105 miles south-west of Madrid. It is asserted that this victory has opened the way to Madrid from this direction.

Other reports state that General Mola has now concentrated 20,000 excellently armed troops in the Sierra Guadarrama, who are holding the northern front which extends as far as Escorial. It is believed that General Mola will wait till the insurgent forces are advancing on Toledo from the south before ordering a general concentrated attack on Madrid.—Transocean News Service.

WORKERS SHOT

London, Sept. 1. Numerous workers who have refused to accept the 10-hour day decreed by the Madrid Government were shot, says an announcement from the Nationalist broadcasting station at Tetuan.

The message adds that 50 Government planes have been brought down by the Nationalist forces.—Transocean News Service.

ASSAULT ON IRUN

Hendaye, Aug. 31. With the object of terminating the stalemate in the battle for Irun, which has successfully resisted for the past six days all efforts of insurgent infantry to penetrate its defence lines, the rebels are reported to be bringing five warships to the port to open a combined land and sea assault.

The warships to be used in this attack are said to be the battleship Espana, two cruisers and two torpedo boats.

During the night the rebels placed a long-range gun in position commanding the disputed areas in Irun and San Sebastian.—Reuter.

GUADARRAMA FRONT

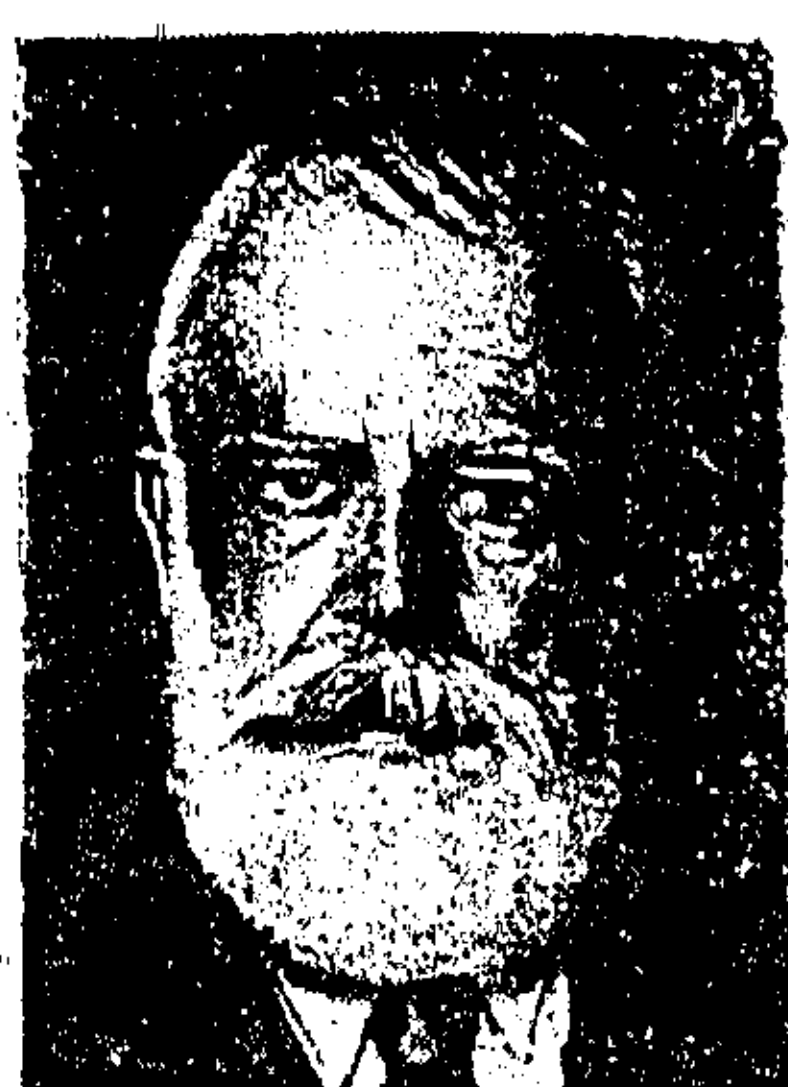
Madrid, Aug. 31. The Government has opened an offensive on the Guadarrama front and states that the insurgents are falling back, fighting desperately.

It is reported that an insurgent three-engined plane fell in flames near Cordoba after a fight with two Government machines.—Reuter's Bulletin Service.

ARMISTICE EFFORTS

Hendaye, Aug. 31. Reports are current here that diplomats are working for an armistice and have made contacts with both sides in the Spanish civil war.

It is asserted that Madrid and the rebel junta at Burgos have already exchanged lists of prisoners with a view to effecting an exchange of their prisoners.



General Cabanellas, head of the rebel government at Burgos, who escaped attempted assassination.

NEUTRALITY IN CIVIL WAR

French Position Discussed

Paris, Sept. 1. Discussing the neutrality of France in the Spanish Civil war, the former rapporteur on the Army Commission in the Chamber, Archimbaud, states that, according to international law France may deliver arms to the Spanish Government without infringing the neutrality.

Archimbaud explains that two recognised States must be at war. In this case however the foreign powers are dealing only with the legalised Government of a nation engaged in Civil War. One cannot speak of interfering, he continues, since a power only interferes when it concerns itself with the private affairs of another country without being asked to.

The Spanish Government could rightly state that in proclaiming a blockade France is interfering in Spain's private affairs and could point to a similar case which occurred in 1891, when on the occasion of a conflict between the President of Chile and the Parliament, France delivered a number of warships to the President as sole representative of the Chilean Government.

Archimbaud concludes by saying that no legal principle is violated if France continues the usual commercial intercourse with Spain. On the contrary the accusation of interference is justified if France breaks off relations at the present time.—Transocean News Service.

TERRORISM IN MADRID

Foreign Observer's Account

Lisbon, Aug. 31. Grim stories of alleged terrorism in Madrid have been received here in what is claimed to be a first-hand account by a foreign observer from the Spanish capital.

The city is stated to be virtually without a Government. The National Federation of Labour and the Iberian Anarchists' Federation control everything.

"A cheba" is said to have been established at the Bellas Artes Club where nightly trials take place and the death sentences are carried out in the cellars.

The rebel Moorish troops are now within 75 miles of the capital and the people are terrified as to what may happen if the rebels enter the city, as the anarchists have threatened to burn the whole of the fashionable quarter of the town and to kill their own wives and children rather than let them fall into the insurgents' hands.—Reuter.

GOEBBELS' VISIT TO VENICE

Milan, Sept. 1. The visit paid by Reichsmarshal Dr. Goebbels to Venice continues to be extensively featured by the Italian press. The semi-official "Popolo d'Italia" stresses that the visit proves the "friendship and sympathy which unite the two countries." The "Corriere della Sera" writes that the Reich Minister's journey cannot fail to exert a favourable influence on the development of cultural relations between the two countries.—Reuter.

CABINET CRISIS IN RUMANIA

Titulescu's Dismissal Reactions

MANY RESIGN

(“Hong Kong Daily Press” Special)

Paris, Sept. 1. The majority of the Rumanian diplomats appointed by M. Titulescu during his tenure of office have resigned their posts in consequence of Titulescu's exclusion from office, according to the "Petit Parisien's" Bucharest correspondent.

Among those who have placed their posts at the disposal of the Government are the Rumanian envoys in Warsaw, Moscow, The Hague, Stockholm, Riga, Reval, Washington and Ankara.—Transocean News Service.

A BOMBHELL

Budapest, Aug. 31. The news that Titulescu has been summarily dropped from the Rumanian Cabinet came as a bombshell not only to Rumania, but to all other south eastern States of Europe. Complete ignorance of the real reason for Titulescu's exclusion of the newly formed Government also seems to prevail in Bucharest itself, judging from the uncertain press comments.

Whilst the Left Wing press states that Titulescu has dropped Titulescu in order to have the possibility for a decided move to the right, meaning that the foreign policy will no longer, especially as far as Soviet Russia is concerned, follow France, the Nationalist paper "Universul" accuses Titulescu of having, from purely selfish motives, removed his personal opponent.

Whichever comes nearer the truth, it is stated here that in view of the well-known influence of the Crown on domestic and foreign policy in Rumania, Titulescu's fall would never have been possible without the full consent of King Carol.

FUTURE CAMPAIGN

Two well-known protagonists for a Left Wing course in Rumania, Dr. Lapu and Madgearu, have immediately left for Cap Martin in order to confer with Titulescu on the future campaign against Titulescu and the Right Wing parties.

In the telegram thanking him for his services, Titulescu gives as reason for disposing of the former Foreign Minister a necessity dictated by domestic political considerations for reorganising the Cabinet on uniform lines, so that it is composed of members of only one party, namely the Liberal Party. Titulescu himself not being a member of this party.—Transocean News Service.

STATEMENT TO PRESS

Paris, Aug. 31. The former Rumanian Foreign Minister, Nicola Titulescu, who is at present at Nice, said to pressmen that he had not been informed of any Cabinet changes until the change had taken place. He went on to say that naturally the Government had a right to decline his services if it felt so inclined, but he thought the proper procedure would have been to notify him of the intention. He declined to reveal his judgment on the Government's action, or his own political plans.—Transocean News Service.

SUDDEN ILLNESS

Paris, Aug. 31. Foreign Minister Titulescu, who is at present residing at Cap Martin on the French Riviera, where he was notified of the Rumanian Cabinet changes, was taken suddenly ill on Sunday. Extremely high fever made his condition serious, and a physician from Monte Carlo was called to his bedside.—Transocean News Service.

SLIGHT DAMAGE TO NAHLIN

London, Aug. 31. The yacht Nahlin, on which the King is making his holiday cruise and which is expected after leaving Greek waters to proceed to Gallipoli, when passing through the narrow channel of Eurpos today struck a bridge at Chaleas between the Island of Euboea and the mainland. The impact was not severe and the only damage was to the ship's boat. On his Majesty's return from the cruise he is going to Balmoral and the newspapers anticipate that when he later comes back to London he will take up residence at Buckingham Palace.—British Wireless.

INCOME TAX IN CHINA

Levy On Foreigners Impracticable

London, Sept. 1. There is no confirmation in official circles that the Chinese seeking to impose an income tax on foreigners, but businessmen are aware that the idea was in the air for some time.

A leading merchant, interviewed by Reuter, opined that the tax was impracticable and in the present Chinese methods of doing business it was impossible to levy an income tax on Chinese with any prospect of fairness and accuracy. Foreign businesses were regularly audited and offer an easier target, hence the tax will inevitably result in discrimination against the foreigner.

Furthermore, although comparatively easy to tax salaries, the question "what are profits?" where the firm has branches in many countries involves endless complications even in countries much better organised than China.

"Taxation on China duties, imports, exports and other impostos are already near the breaking point. If new direct taxation is imposed it must be a corresponding relief; if indirect, there are too many straws on the back of the China camel."

Opinion in the city is generally that the Chinese proposal is incompatible with extraterritorial rights and is probably a bait for d'escal. Regret is expressed that the Chinese raise so controversial a question just when the railway settlements created such a good impression.

Chinese loans weakened to-day.—Reuter.

SILVER MARKET

(From Our Own Correspondent)

London, Sept. 1.

London Silver prices to-day were up 1/8 as follows:—

Aug. 31 Sept. 1

Spot 19-9/16 19-11/16

Forward 19-9/16 19-11/16

KING EDWARD STAMPS

Great Run For New Issue

London, Sept. 1.

Several thousands of the new King Edward postage stamps which are on sale to-day were sold early this morning by a few London post offices which remain open after midnight.

Professional philatelists, private collectors and members of the public who wished to send the first available stamps through the post to themselves or their friends crowded at the counters. Many had arrived with blank letters and cards addressed to themselves, to some of which were affixed rows of new stamps of several times the required value.

The present issue of the new stamps numbering 300 million will probably be sufficient to meet the demands for about one week or ten days, after which the existing stocks of stamps of King George's reign will be sold until exhausted when the fresh issue of new stamps will be on sale.—British Wireless.

EGYPT'S DELEGATES DEPART

Farewell At Victoria Station

London, Sept. 1. The Prime Minister was represented by his Private Secretary at Victoria Station this morning to bid farewell to the remaining members of the Egyptian delegation who came to London for signing of the Anglo-Egyptian treaty of alliance last week. Owing to indisposition which has confined him to his room, the Foreign Secretary, Mr. Anthony Eden, was unable to be present. He was represented by the Deputy Under-Secretary, Sir Alexander Cadogan.

Sir Miles Lampson, High Commissioner in Egypt, and Mr. Ronald Campbell, head of the Egyptian Department in the Foreign Office, were also present.—British Wireless.

WOMAN INCLUDED IN DELEGATION

SPANISH COMMUNISTS VISIT FRANCE

r Materials To Buy War And Planes

(“Hong Kong Daily Press” Special)

Paris, September 1. A Communist delegation from Spain, composed of the former Minister of Education, Domingo, Deputy Iriburu, the former Minister of Finance, Lara and the notorious woman Communist leader La Passionaria, arrived here on Monday evening.

When interviewed by the press the delegates declared they came to France to establish contact with their "French friends." The delegation was received by the Spanish Ambassador to Paris, Albornoz shortly after their arrival.

Commenting on the visit, the "Echo de Paris" asserts that the Spanish Communists came to buy arms, ammunition and planes, and to recruit trained technicians for the Government forces, above all aviators. The Spanish Ambassador, the paper asserts, intends to make arrangements for a meeting between the delegation and "certain members of the French Government."

"Le Matin" states that the delegation will visit various European capitals before returning to Spain, to inform "interested" quarters as to the real situation in Spain.

From Paris the delegation intends to proceed to London.—Transocean News Service.

NOT RACING IN ATLANTIC

Sir Percy Bates' Statement

London, Sept. 1.

The Atlantic policy of the owners of the liner Queen Mary was discussed in a speech in Liverpool by Sir Percy Bates, the Chairman, who declared that real rivalry in the Atlantic was commercial and financial.

"We are not racing in the Atlantic and we will not go in for racing competitions," he said. "Records are things of which our parent companies have always been proud but proud as we are to-day of our records I regret that in recent years there has been an attempt to attach some tangible and physical object to what hitherto has been incorporeal. I regret for myself there ever was brought into existence the Blue Riband Cup."

The speech was made in accepting a silver rose bowl for the Queen Mary from the British marine insurance companies. He said he accepted it with the utmost gratitude, but the attitude to the Blue Riband Cup had yet to be determined not only by events which might happen in the Atlantic but also by even the larger question as to whether there was a cup worthy of the Atlantic. The company might or might not have more records in future, but whatever they did would be incidental to the company's business which did not consist essentially in racing.—British Wireless.

MIXED RECEPTION IN FRANCE

Mussolini's Declaration On Army Strength

Paris, Aug. 31. Mussolini's energetic speech at the conclusion of the Army manoeuvres on Sunday has been received with somewhat mixed feelings here. The general feeling is summed up by the "Temps" which says that with Mussolini's speeches it is sometimes difficult to know how much is intended for the interior and how much for foreign consumption. It is this uncertainty which results in confusion of the international situation.

Mussolini's assertion regarding Italy's military strength were very impressive, but what, asks the paper, does Mussolini propose to do with this military power? This was the only question that interested the foreign observer.—Transocean News Service.

HOSTILITY IN GERMANY

Armament Expense Reactions

London, Sept. 1.

The return of Dr. Schacht from Paris is turning German thoughts towards international discussions and armament limitation, declares the "Times" Berlin correspondent. He says that those with ears close to the ground—and Hitler has a remarkably keen ear—are apparently convinced that the two years' service decision and consequent tax increases are producing under the surface a mood more hostile to the regime than the German people displayed for some time.

There is a smell of war in the atmosphere for which suspicion is dawned that Germany is partly to blame. Hence it is calculated that success in the direction of armament limitation and general relaxation of tension in Europe would help to restore shaken confidence at home.

The correspondent goes on to draw attention to an article in the "Frankfurter Zeitung" declaring that productive government expenditure is more beneficial than armaments in stimulating industry, reducing unemployment and taxation.

The article concludes that the motto should be "houses instead of shells."—Reuter.

MOBILE POLICE IN BRITAIN

Instruction And Advice To Road Users

London, Sept. 1. An experiment that is being tried by Scotland Yard is expected to result in important development of the functions of the mobile police throughout the country. Special vans with loudspeakers have been put on the roads in the Metropolitan Police district to enable police officers well versed in provisions of the Highway Code to give instruction and advice to road users who appear to be in need of it.

If the results indicate that the standard of conduct on the roads can be improved by such methods, the police authorities in other parts of the country will be encouraged to take similar action.—British Wireless.

DISASTROUS MINE EXPLOSION

Bochum, Aug. 31. A disastrous explosion occurred in the "Vereingte President" pit in the colliery here at midday on Monday. Rescue work which is only proceeding with difficulty resulted in 17 dead and 12 wounded being so far salvaged. It is feared, however, that the total number of victims will prove to be higher still. Dr. Ley, leader of the Labour Front, has sent a telegram of sympathy to the management.—Transocean News Service.

Cologne, Aug. 31. At least 17 persons have been killed and 12 injured in an explosion in a coal mine near Bochum, Westphalia. It is feared that many are still buried in the mine.—Reuter.

HOME FOOTBALL FORECAST

(BY FORWARD)

The following is the full programme of Home Football matches to be played on Saturday, September 5. The teams in bold type are tipped to win.

| DIVISION I. | |
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| Mileage. | |
| BOLTON W. | 110 v. Grimsby T. |
| CHARLTON A. | 175 v. Liverpool |
| CHELSEA | 100 v. Birmingham |
| DERBY C. | 45 v. Manchester U. |
| EVERTON | 175 v. Brentford |
| HUDDESFIELD | 160 v. Arsenal |
| MANCHESTER C. | 70 v. West Brom. |
| PORTSMOUTH | 260 v. Middlesbro' |
| STOKE CITY | 65 v. Leeds United |
| SUNDERLAND | 95 v. Preston N.E. |
| WOLVES | 65 v. Sheffield W. |

| DIVISION II. | |
|--------------|---------------------|
| ASTON VILLA | 120 v. Southampton |
| BARNLEY | 50 v. Bradford |
| BLACKBURN R. | 100 v. Leicester C. |
| BLACKPOOL | 200 v. West Ham U. |
| BRADFORD C. | 175 v. Swansea T. |
| CHESTERFIELD | 56 v. Burnley |
| COVENTRY C. | 100 v. Bury |
| NOTTS FOREST | 60 v. Fulham |
| PLYMOUTH A. | 250 v. Doncaster R. |
| SHEFFIELD U. | 100 v. Newcastle U. |
| TOTTENHAM H. | 100 v. Norwich C. |

| DIVISION III. (SOUTH) | |
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| BOURNEMOUTH | 60 v. Swindon |
| BRIGHTON | 40 v. Aldershot |
| BRISTOL R. | — v. Bristol C. |
| Cardiff C. | 130 v. LUTON C. |
| CRYSTAL P. | 105 v. Walsall |
| Exeter C. | 160 v. CLAPTON O. |
| Northampton T. | 60 v. Millwall |
| QUEEN'S PARK | 170 v. Torquay U. |
| READING | 110 v. Notts Co. |
| SOUTHEND U. | 160 v. Newport C. |
| WATFORD | 105 v. Gillingham |

| DIVISION III. (NORTH) | |
|-----------------------|---------------------|
| Barrow | 80 v. Crewe A. |
| CARLISLE U. | 90 v. Halifax T. |
| DARLINGTON | 80 v. Rotherham U. |
| GATESHEAD | 140 v. Port Vale |
| Hartlepool U. | 120 v. Tranmere R. |
| HULL CITY | 80 v. Oldham A. |
| LINCOLN CITY | 115 v. Southport |
| New Brighton | 40 v. ACCRINGTON S. |
| Rochdale | 45 v. CHESTER |
| Wrexham | 45 v. STOCKPORT C. |
| YORK C. | 60 v. Mansfield T. |

| SCOTTISH LEAGUE | |
|-----------------|-------------------|
| Arbroath | v. RANGERS. |
| CELTIC | v. Kilmarnock |
| DUNDEE | v. Alton R. |
| Dunfermline | v. St. Johnstone |
| FALKIRK | v. Queen's Park |
| Hibernians | v. HAMILTON |
| MOTHERWELL | v. Queen of South |
| PARTICK | v. Aberdeen |
| ST. MIRREN | v. Clyde |
| THIRD LANARK | v. Hearts |

PUBLIC WORKS RECREATION CLUB FORMED

Swimming Gala Arranged

INAUGURATION ON SEPT. 15

A Swimming Gala to mark the inauguration of the Public Works Recreation Club will be held, by courtesy of the South China Athletic Association, at their North Point Pavilion on Tuesday, September 15, commencing at 8 p.m.

The following is a list of events: (1) 400 Metres Medley Relay, Teams of 4 (Back, Crawl, Breast and Free. Open to recognised Clubs or units). (2) 50 Metres Free Style (Championship). (3) 200 Metres Breast Stroke (Championship). (4) 200 Metres Relay, Ladies (4). Free Style. (Open to recognised Clubs or units). (5) 50 Metres Veterans Race (Over 40 years of age).

Diving Exhibition (6) 100 Metres Free Style (Championship). (7) 300 Metres Relay, Free Style. Any 8—Engineers, Overseers, Clerical Staff, Surveyors & Draughtsmen and Rest of P.W.D. (8) 100 Metres Back Stroke (Championship). (9) 50 Metres Novelty Race. (10) 200 metres Relay, Free Style. (Inter-departmental teams of 4).

Should it be found necessary, heats will be swum off, at the South China Pavilion, North Point, on Friday, September 11, at 8 p.m. sharp. Entries, which should be sent to the Hon. Secretary, c/o Waterworks Office, P.W.D., close at noon on Tuesday, September 8.

The Hon. Mr. A. G. W. Tickle, Director of Public Works, is Patron of the Public Works Recreation Club.

The elected officers are: President—Mr. P. D. Wilson. Assistant Director of Public Works.

Vice-Presidents:—Messrs. A. B. Purves, W. G. Fitz-Gibbon, J. A. Bendall and Lai Ming-kai. Chairman—Mr. Chan To-sui. Honorary Secretary—Mr. D. W. Luke. Honorary Treasurer—Mr. A. Karrim, with a strong representative committee.

The Public Works Recreation Club, the nucleus of which was the former Waterworks Recreation Club formed in 1935, has for its object the promotion of Sport and Recreation amongst all members of the P.W.D., irrespective of race, creed or colour and has already a membership of 130. It is hoped to obtain a playing field in the near future, when it is hoped that games will be enjoyed in most branches of Sport, especially football, while tennis, cricket, and other games will have keen supporters. Hiking parties, and athletic meets will be organised during the winter; and for the summer, it is hoped to obtain funds for the provision of a bathing pavilion.

THE PASSING OF A BANK

The Anglo-South American Bank recently closed its books and changed its brass plate preparatory to opening as part of the Bank of London and South America. The Manchester branch, which has "neighbourhood" the Post Office and the District Bank for thirteen years, has been a link in the chain of commercial interests binding the city to the Central and South American republics. It has provided a direct banking service with the South American continent, and it is as certain as it is unfortunate that some local shippers trading with South America will regret the change, though the acquisition of the business by the Bank of London and South America will unify control and strengthen British banking interests in the territories concerned. Business will be done in future through the Manchester agency of the larger bank, the "Anglo-South American" was founded in 1888 as the Bank of Tarapaca and London, and became successively linked with the Anglo-Argentine Bank, the London Bank of Mexico and South America, the Commercial Bank of Spanish America, the British Bank of South America, and others.

FLOODLIGHT LAWN BOWLS

Electric R. C. Team For To-morrow

The following will represent the Hong Kong Electric Recreation Club against the Tai Koo R.C. and Hong Kong F.C. in a floodlight lawn bowls match to be played on the Ming Yuen green to-morrow at 9 p.m.—

A. P. Tarbuck, T. P. Sanderson, W. Stoker, W. H. B. Muskett (skip), V. Sorby, J. L. King, G. T. Padgett, J. F. Lunny (skip), C. Gahagan, G. G. S. Thomson, J. Sloan, S. Deacon (skip).

SATURDAY'S MATCH

The following will represent K.C.C. "A" against the H.K.F.C. "A" in a League lawn bowls match at Happy Valley on Saturday at 3.30 p.m.—

C. W. Fletcher, J. S. Dinnen, R. P. Phillips, W. W. Hirst (skip), A. J. Kew, A. Nissim, L. E. Lammer, L. Jack (skip), S. J. Houghton, J. R. Canning, T. Ferguson, T. W. Carr (skip).

INTERPORT CRICKET

In connection with the coming Interport cricket match, the following names are in the official list handed in to the Hon. Secretary of the H.K.C.C.—

A. T. Lee, E. Zimmermann, and F. R. Zimmermann (Craigengower); E. L. Gosano (H.K. University); Col. E. St. G. Kirke, D.S.O., Lieut. C. C. Garthwaite, Lieut. J. P. Williams, Lieut. D. M. C. Frichard and Capt. D. W. Perse (Army); W. H. Colledge (Civil Service); A. H. Madar.

U. S. BASEBALL

Small Programme Of Matches

New York, Aug. 31. The following were the results of Major League baseball matches played to-day:—

NATIONAL LEAGUE
New York 0 8 0
Chicago 1 12 1
No other games were scheduled.

AMERICAN LEAGUE
Chicago 1 4 1
New York 5 9 2
Dimaggio homered and Seeds homered twice.
No other games were scheduled.

Reuter.

U. S. TENNIS TITLE

Brookline, Mass., Aug. 31. Donald Hodge and Gene Mako retained the United States doubles tennis championship at Chestnut Hills to-day when in the final they defeated their old rivals, Wilmer Allison and John Van Ryn in straight sets of 6-4, 6-2, 6-4.

Miss Carolyn Babcock and Mrs. Van Ryn defeated Miss Helen Jacobs and Mrs. Sarah Fabyan, holders, in the final of the women's doubles championship, 9-7, 2-6, 8-4.

Reuter.
A. R. Minu, F. D. Pereira, and K. Nazarin (I.R.C.); R. E. Lee, N. A. E. Mackay, E. F. Fincher and W. C. Hung (K.C.C.).

Chinese Footballers Lose At Highbury

CREDITABLE PERFORMANCE AGAINST ISLINGTON

Lee Wai Tong And Fung Score

WONG OUTSTANDING IN GOAL

Highbury, Aug. 31. Playing on the Arsenal ground at Highbury to-day the Islington Corinthians defeated the Chinese Olympic soccer team by three goals to two.

The Chinese gave a creditable performance. They combined well and favoured the five forwards' attack up the field.

They were backed up well in the attacking by the centre-half. Within twenty minutes from the kick-off the Chinese scored through Fung King Cheung and Lee Wai Tong and at the interval led by the odd goal in three. Tonnington netted for the Corinthians.

In the second half the home team's stamina prevailed over their Chinese visitors and before the final whistle was sounded added two goals through Osborne and Lewis to clinch the issue.

Wong Ki Leung (Wong Wing) gave an outstanding exhibition in goal for the Chinese.—

Reuter.

HOME SOCCER

Mid-Week Matches Results

London, Aug. 31.

The following were the results in to-day's English Football League matches:—

FIRST DIVISION

Preston N.E. 1 Bolton 2
Stoke 1 Charlton 1
Wolves 0 Middlesbro' 1

SECOND DIVISION

Barnsley 2 Bury 2
Blackpool 0 Tottenham 0
Bradford C. 1 Plymouth 1
Chesterfield 3 Norwich 1
Coventry 2 Swansea 1
Doncaster 2 Southton 0
Leicester 5 Bradford 0
Sheffield U. 0 Blackburn R. 1
West Ham 0 Newcastle 2

THIRD DIVISION (SOUTH)

Cardiff 2 Clapton 1
Northampton 5 Aldershot 3
Walsall 0 Luton 1
Millwall 2 Queen's P.R. 0

THIRD DIVISION (NORTH)

Barrow 1 Halifax 2
Hull 2 Rotherham 1
Lincoln 2 Oldham 0
Wrexham 4 Darlington 0

BOOTLEGGING OF BIBLES IN FAR EAST

LATEST COMMERCIAL ACTIVITY

Bootlegging Bibles is the latest Far East commercial activity.

The Shanghai office of the American Bible Society says that it works out this way:

In China, the society issues Bibles in the Chinese language for sale at a price lower than the cost of production. Branches of the Society abroad handle these same Bibles but ask a higher rate covering the cost of their publication.

There are many Chinese in the Philippines, and a society branch exists there, handling Bibles in Chinese among other languages and charging a rate higher than in China.

The stewardess on a certain ship plying between China and the Philippines has taken to buying Chinese Bibles at Amoy, receiving the special low price and even having this brought down a bit because she buys in wholesale quantities. She takes these on the ship as "piggin cargo" paying no freight, and in Manila she disposes of them to an agent who is able to offer them at half the price asked by the legitimate branch of the society which prints the books in the first place!

A somewhat similar "racket" has developed between South China and Singapore, another point where many Chinese live.

On top of this, reports to the society indicate that books put out by its branch in Manila—the language is uncertain but believed to be Tagalog are similarly taken to Honolulu and sold at a cut price because of similar practice of putting them out at low cost at the point of issue.

The society is taking the matter calmly; a little baffled, but not inclined to be excited or to try to do anything unless a thoroughly satisfactory course of action comes to mind.

HONG KONG HOCKEY CLUB REPORT

Healthy Financial Position

RECORD OF SEASON'S MATCHES

The annual meeting of the Hong Kong Hockey Club will be held in the Secretary's Room, Hong Kong Cricket Club, on Tuesday, September 8, at 5.30 p.m.

The report and statement of accounts for the Club for the year ended July 31, 1936, is as follows:—

The financial position of the Club continues healthy. The credit balance at the bank has increased by \$9.68 to \$135.43. A sum of \$83.63 is recoverable from the other Club using the ground for returning and purchase of equipment in July. A further \$100 is also due from another Club, for the loan of the ground on Mondays.

The ground could be maintained in fair condition only, due to the fact that it was used regularly by three Clubs, and occasionally by Army teams.

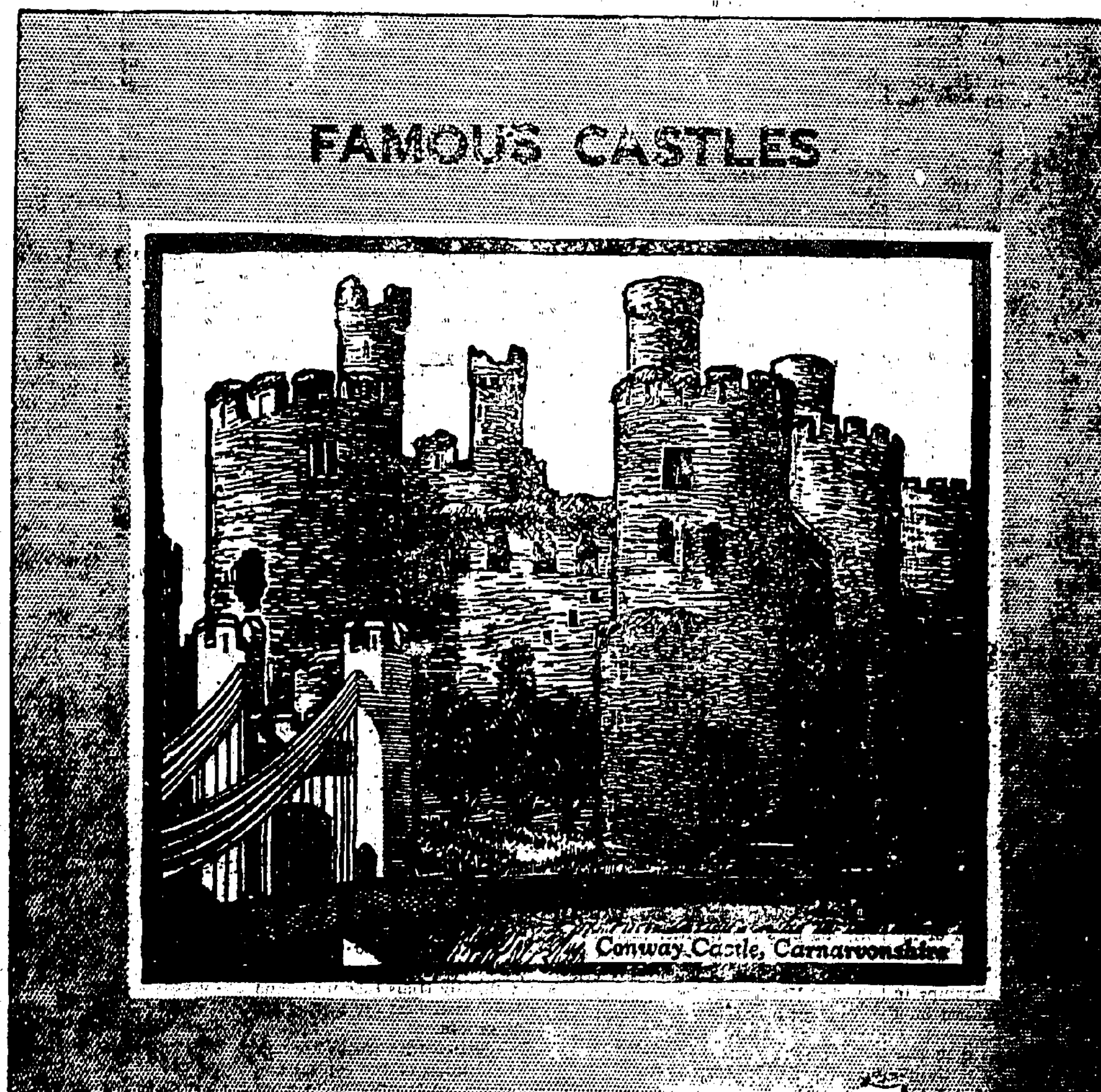
During the course of the season eight playing members joined the Club, while 18 members either resigned or transferred to the absent members list. The present roll of playing members and Military subscribers, including those absent on leave, is 39.

Full fixture lists were arranged for two teams, and these were well carried through. The 1st XI matches were generally played on Wednesdays, whilst the 2nd XI played all matches on Fridays.

The following are the team records:—

P. W. D. L. F. A.
1st XI 20 8 4 8 33 21
2nd XI 20 5 3 12 29 47

The Triangular Tournament ended this year in a victory for the Army, against whom the Club, playing without a goalkeeper, lost the decisive match by 2-1.



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—THE VIRGINIANS

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ALIEN POPULATION OF GREAT BRITAIN

Fewer Foreigners Resident Since Great War

GREATEST NUMBER IN LONDON

At the present moment there are about 200,000 aliens resident in the United Kingdom. As might be expected, by far the greatest number are in London, where about one person in twenty is a foreigner or of foreign extraction.

Before the war Great Britain was a much more cosmopolitan country. With splendid assurance we kept open house for almost anybody who cared to accept our hospitality.

Even up to the outbreak of war London welcomed fire-eaters and revolutionaries whom nobody else dared allow to land. The terrible Malatesta, Italy's arch-anarchist, kept a shop for electrical fittings in Islington. Karl Marx, father of revolutions, lived quietly in London. Lenin settled here, and, curiously enough, was financed by another emigre, Joseph Pels, the American soap king. Trotsky and Chicherin, the late Communist Foreign Minister, lived in London, writes G. W. L. Day to the "Evening Standard."

In fact, it was somewhere off the Tottenham Court Road, that Lenin and his friends met in 1903 and formed the Bolshevik Party.

But the war wiped out most of these foreign settlements or reduced them to a mere shadow of their former size. Very few have regained their pre-war strength.

ITALIAN COLONY INCREASES

One of the few that have increased rapidly of late years is the Italian colony. Before the Duce summoned the younger men to the colours there were about 20,000 Italians here, 9,000 or 10,000 of whom were in London.

Hardly any of our Italian residents are organ-grinders now, but many still hold the monopoly of certain trades and crafts which they introduced years ago. In Manchester they do special mosaic work and special branches of road-making. In Scotland there are nearly 2,000 who own ice-cream shops.

The Italian colony in London is in two main groups—the artisans in Saffron Hill and the waiters and restaurant proprietors in Soho. Go any afternoon to the Co-operative Club in Clerkenwell, and you will see scores of Italians eagerly discussing the Fascist newspapers.

ONLY 237 GERMAN WAITERS

The huge, compact German colonies of pre-war days totalled fully 75,000, of whom about 40,000 lived in London. To-day they are only a memory. Of the thousands of German waiters only 237 remain.

Those hearty, noisy restaurants where you could drink Pilsener or good Rhenish wine, munch your sauerkraut and join in a German chorus have disappeared entirely. The "Charlottenstrasse" is once again plain Charlotte Street.

About three years ago, not counting the German Jews in Whitechapel, there were not more than 6,000 Germans in the country, of whom over 1,500 were maid-servants.

Then came the Jewish persecution in Germany, and for some time we received a steady stream of refugees. Many of these are doctors, barristers and other professional men who once practised in Berlin, Cologne or Leipzig. Others are engineers and scientists. True to our national tradition, we have let them come, and are now profiting from their brains and ingenuity.

FRENCH GROUP SMALLER

The French colony has shrunk considerably since the war. The last census shows 15,628 French people. Out of these 1,392 were domestic servants, 889 women teachers, and 244 waiters.

The most celebrated of our French residents are probably the 300 chefs, about 230 of whom live in London. They include some of the greatest names in the world of cookery, but their number is sadly reduced as compared with the old days. Once many an English aristocrat had two French chefs, or even three, but now comparatively few can afford even one.

The only true French settlement now is in Soho, where you hear the "Temps" and the "Petit Journal" being cried in the streets, straight from the Paris air-line. You may still see the first fresh vegetables from the Seine Valley arriving in "Little France," and the fine Bordeaux wine coming in

barrels to be bottled by the French residents.

But of late, with the tightening up of labour restrictions, the French colony has been dwindling at the rate of about a thousand a year.

It is said that Northerners nearly always prefer the northern suburbs of London, while Southerners choose to live in the southern districts. Swiss residents grew so fond of one northern district that it is called Swiss Cottage to this day.

The Swiss colony is one of the few which has held its ground. There are close on 10,000 Swiss in this country to-day, including 2,000 household servants, and even their colony of 1,000 in Manchester has four clubs. Their "Swiss Observer" is published in English, but often bursts out into German, French, or Italian.

NETHERLANDERS UNIT A SHADOW

The only other foreign residents as highly organized as the Swiss are the Hollanders. In London to-day, their colony has no less than three men's clubs, a ladies' club, a benevolent society, a church, an almshouse, an hotel, a convalescent home, and a holiday retreat for children at Southend. Yet the total strength of the colony is only 4,000, a mere shadow of the enormous settlement of 30,000 in pre-war days.

Some of these people are petty officers, seamen, deck hands, foremen, and trimmers, a good many have gone into the hair-dressing trade.

Another colony, many of whose members are seafaring men, is the Scandinavian. In the old days there were about 9,000 Norwegians and Swedes here. To-day they number about 4,000.

You may sit down with Swedish sea captains and timber magnates or match kings to the famous "smorgasbord." Sweden's hors d'oeuvres, at the luncheon club of the Swedish Chamber of Commerce. You may even sip Swedish "aqua-vit." If you know where to buy it.

THE "RUSSKI DOM"

The Russian contingent totals no less than 24,000, but the vast majority of these are Russian Jews living in Whitechapel. Twenty-five years ago the Tsarist and the Revolutionaries lived in close proximity near Tottenham Court Road. There were spies, plottings and counter-plottings. But to-day Russian life in London revolves round an old Tsarist diplomat named Sablin, whose house in Kensington is called the "Russki Dom," or Russian House.

There are still one or two restaurants where you can eat Russian bortsch, sour cream, pancakes and chashlick, just as you could in the old days, and at least one place where you can drink genuine Russian vodka, but not many people know where to find them. There is also a Rasputin Club in Camden Town, but that is still harder to find.

The Chinese, who number about 2500, are, despite all legends, for the most part simple, industrious people, occupied in pressing and laundering for a mere pittance. The average Chinese no longer wears his queue and picturesque garb, but shuffles along in a cheap suit imported from Poland or Czechoslovakia, with a bowler or soft hat on his closely cropped head.

In Limehouse and Pennyfields you can still buy noodles, boiled sea slugs, bird's nest soup, stewed sharks' fins, chop suey, and even enormous medicinal pills as big as horse balls, which a Chinese swallows when he feels ill.

There are still dens in Pennyfields, Cardiff and Glasgow where one chalk mark on the door means that opium can be obtained within and two marks mean that "snow" is on sale as well. But, thanks to the police, the infamy of Chinatown to-day is largely a myth.

BIG MOSUL OIL FIELDS SHARE DEAL

Britain Acquires Italian Interest

CONTROL OF NEAR EAST SUPPLIES

The sale of the Italian interest in Mosul Oil Fields Ltd. was officially announced recently. The principal purchaser is understood to be the Iraq Petroleum Company.

The deal has political as well as financial importance, for it increases the share of British control of the most important oil supplies in the Near East.

Mosul Oil Fields Ltd., which has an issued capital of £2,300,000, was formed four years ago to purchase the capital of the British Oil Fields Development Company, whose chief asset was a concession of over 40,000 square miles of territory in Iraq. The acquisition of this concession was arranged by Mr. Rickett, who subsequently figured in the arrangement of oil concessions for American interests in Abyssinia.

The Iraq Petroleum Company, of which Sir John Cadman is chairman, has a capital of £6,500,000. The company owns a pipe-line capable of transporting 40,000,000 tons of oil a year from Kirkuk on the eastern bank of the river Tigris, to the Mediterranean coast.

The Anglo-Iranian Oil Company, which the British Government has £7,500,000 Ordinary shares holds a large interest in Iraq Petroleum.

It is the most important Eastern oil deal since the Anglo-Iranian Oil Co.'s concession was signed in 1933.

RECONSTRUCTED BOARD

Iraq Petroleum will avoid the possibility of competitive production with a shorter carry to the European market, while Mosul Oil will be saved the enormous expense of installing a separate pipe-line to the Mediterranean.

The merger was forehadowed by the following statement issued by Mosul Oil Fields Ltd.

"The Azienda Generale Italiana Petroli, having disposed of its interest in Mosul Oil Fields Limited, its representatives on the board have resigned, and the board now consists of the following:

"Viscount Goschen, Ali Jawdat Beg Al Ayoubi, William R. Brown, Lord, Glenconner, P. L. Hunting, Paul Girod, Joseph Whiteside, Boyle, John Skiros, Montague Plesse, Langlois Lefroy, Rene de Montagu, and Kevork Loris Esayan.

"The reconstitution of the board includes representation for the several important oil groups which have acquired an interest in the company."

The new directors are Joseph Whiteside Boyle, John Skiros, Montagu Plesse, Langlois Lefroy, Rene de Montagu, and Kevork Loris Esayan.

RIVAL CLAIMS TO SHARES

Last May an action was brought in the Chancery Division, in which three rival claims to shares in Mosul Oil Fields were mentioned. The plaintiff company, Ferrostaal N.V., a Dutch concern, asked for specific performance of an alleged agreement by Mosul Oil Fields to allot it shares, pursuant to the exercise of an option. Azienda Generale Italiana Petroli were also named as defendants.

It was stated that there were three contracts in existence regarding the same shares, and the plaintiffs asked that the status quo should be maintained pending trial of the action.

In addition to the claims of the Dutch and Italian companies, it was stated that there was an option to the Egyptian Government which might impinge on the plaintiffs' option.

BALLOON RACE

Warsaw, Sept. 1. Late reports state that the Gordon Bennett balloons are still flying in a south easterly direction and heading for Crimea. Weather forecasts predict rain along the route the balloons have taken and the opinion here is that the winner will be the balloon which is last to get a drenching.

Transocean News Service.

ULSTERS SOUND RETREAT

Ceremony On Murray Parade Ground

The Retreat, one of the traditional Army ceremonies, was played by the band and buglers of the 1st Battalion, the Royal Ulster Rifles on the Murray Parade ground yesterday.

The ceremony opened with the band and buglers marching and counter-marching to the tune of "The Little Buglers." With the massed buglers halted at one end of the parade ground, the band moved to meet them, playing "American Reveille." Coming into position behind the buglers the band halted and the clear clarion notes of the bugles sounded the Number 1 Retreat.

Then followed a series of marches and counter-marches which concluded with a regimental march, "The Royal South Downs" followed by the sounding of the "Retreat" on harmonised bugles.

The spectacle of the band and buglers marching, counter-marching, and inter-weaving was most impressive and bewildering to watch. The precision with which orders were obeyed, the brisk marching and the undulating formations, which, though accompanying all military ceremonies, is a never-ending source of wonder to the public.

The National Anthem brought the ceremony to a close.

Bugle Major Lilly was in charge of the buglers, while the band was conducted by Bandmaster H. Alfred Hole, A.R.C.M.

ARABS IGNORE CHALLENGE

Military Open Fire In Jerusalem

Jerusalem, Aug. 31. Two Arabs were fired on in the streets of Jerusalem to-day and one was killed. The men refused to halt, after

MONDAY WAS UNLUCKY DAY FOR WOMEN

Many Accidents And Suicide Attempts

Women figured prominently in minor traffic accidents reported to the authorities.

Whilst walking in Shanghai Street, which is a crowded thoroughfare, a married woman Wong Sun, was knocked down by Kowloon Motor bus No. 628. She was removed to the Kowloon Hospital for treatment.

Chan Chow, 68, widow was knocked down by lorry No. 716 in Castle Peak Road and removed to the Kowloon Hospital.

Another woman, Chan Ho, was knocked down by a bicycle ridden by a soldier, Pte. Paine, of the East Lancs., while strolling in Shamshupo. The woman was treated at the Kowloon Hospital but was not detained.

SUICIDE ATTEMPTS

Women also figured in suicide attempts brought to the notice of the authorities.

Yuen Sui Ping, was admitted to the Kowloon Hospital on Monday suffering from the effects of an overdose of potassium permanganate. Her condition was stated to be serious.

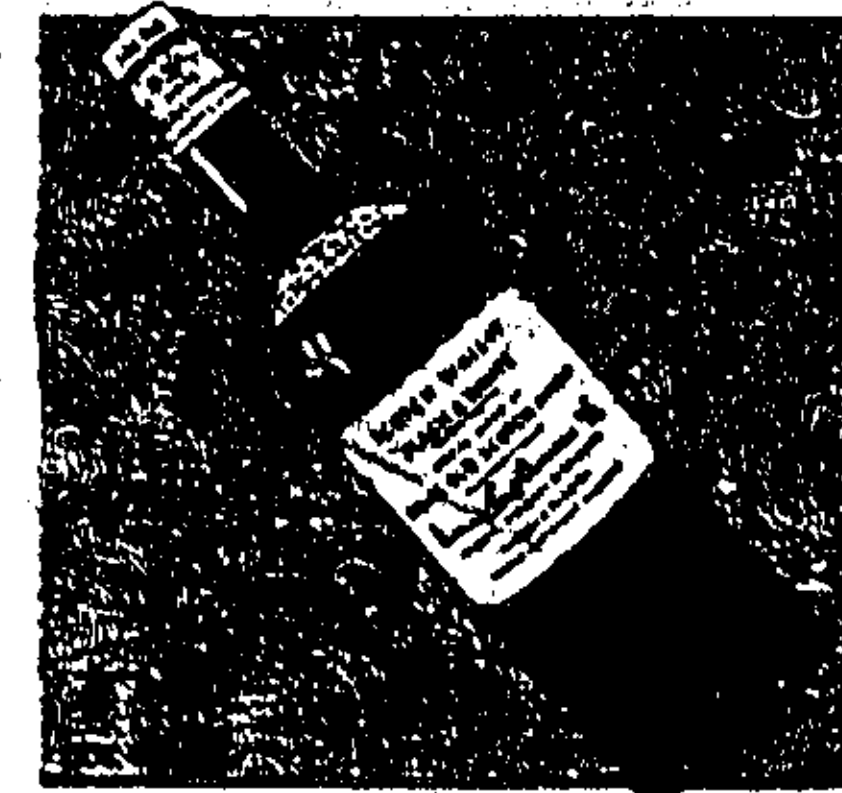
Ng Kee, 51, widow, of 174, Pui Ho Street, attempted suicide by drinking chloride of lime. She is now a patient at the Kowloon Hospital.

Ho Sze, 25, was removed to Government Civil Hospital with injuries received after being knocked down by tram No. 20 in Queen's Road.

being challenged by a British military patrol.

One man was instantly killed and the other wounded, but a bomb was found near the place where they were challenged.—*Reuter's Bulletin Service.*

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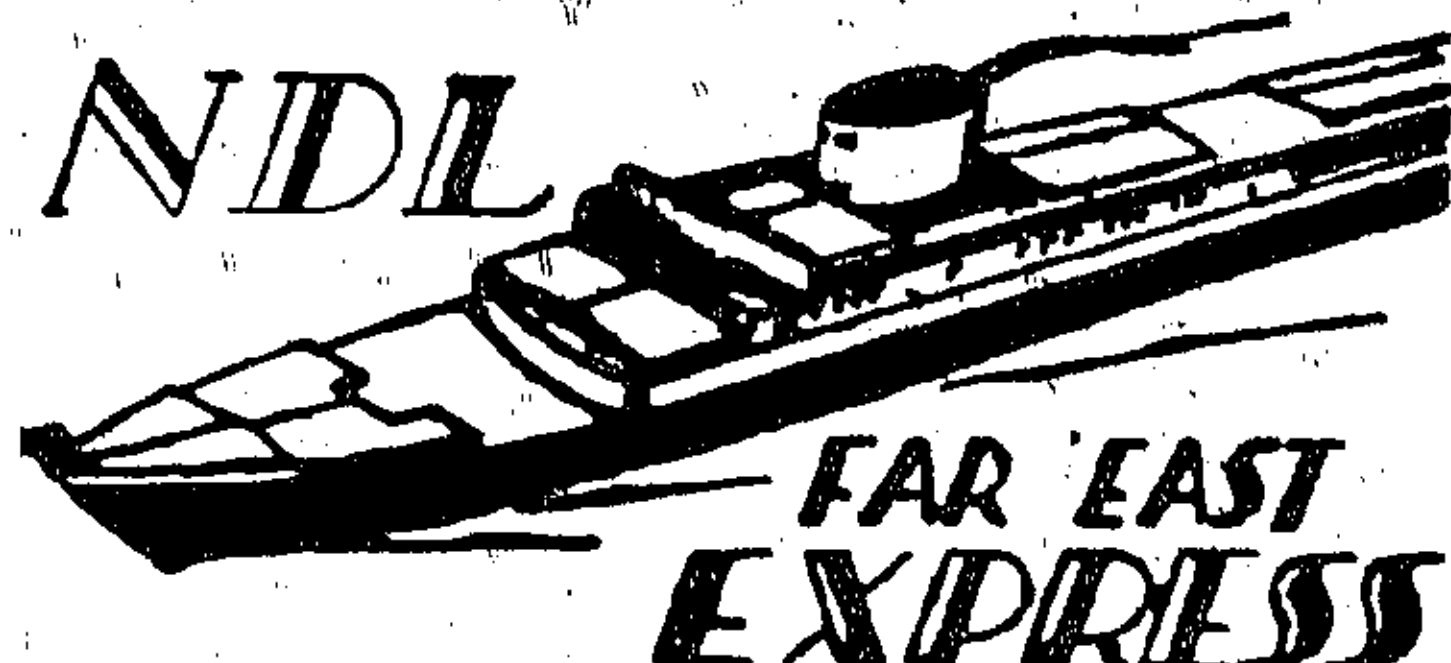
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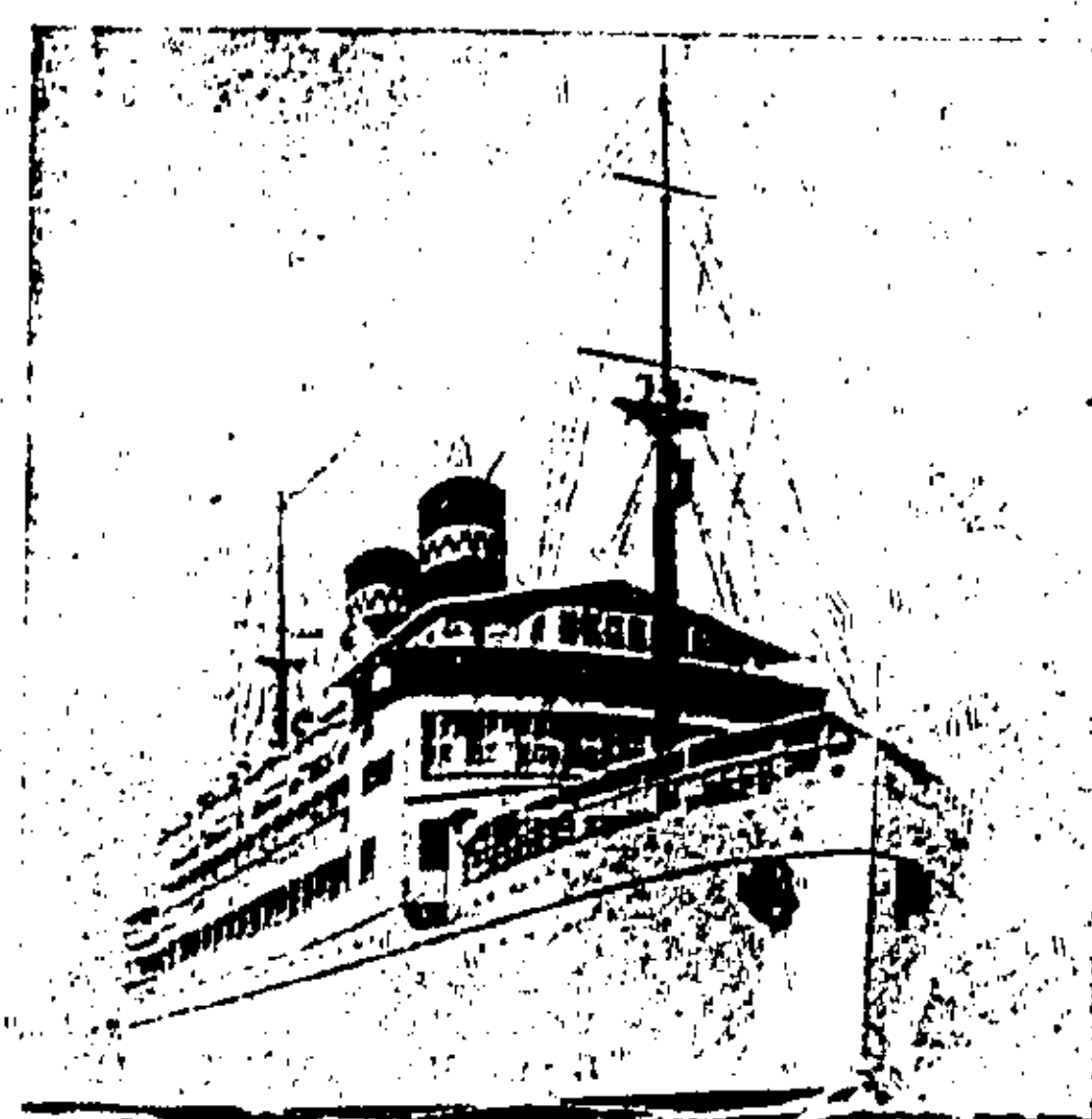
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Paracale Gumaus, 96 cts.
Salacots, 19 1/2 cts.
Suyoc, 90 cts.

Sellers

Lights, \$12.60.
Beng. Explor., 45 cts.
Salacots, 21 cts.
Suyoc, 92 cts.

Sales

Providents Old, \$1.70.
Lands, \$36.
Lights, \$12.40.
Santa Rosa, 14 1/2 cts.
Suyoc, 92/93 cts.
Big Wedge, 68 1/2 cts.
Consol. Mines, 12 1/2 cts.
Northern Mines, 54 cts.

H. K. STOCK EXCHANGE

YESTERDAY'S OFFICIAL QUOTATIONS

The market opened steady and during the day there was a definitely strong undertone with an increasing demand for all of the more popular counters, business being done in Hotels at \$5.55, Trams \$12.40, Lights \$12, Telephones \$28 and Cements \$10.65/10.70. There was also a strong demand for Banks and Unions there being an unsatisfied demand at the close at \$1.85 and \$5.70 respectively.

The Manila market was also active Benguet Explorations advancing to 43 1/2 cts and Suyocs to 95 1/2 cts. There was a fair turnover in Demonstrations at \$1.56 and Northern at 54 cts. Antamoks were a shade easier at \$5.20.

BUYERS

Hong Kong Banks, \$1.85.
Bank of East Asia, \$7.5.
Union Insurance, \$5.70.
Wharves, \$101.
Providents (Old), \$1.70.
Venz. Goldfields, \$42.
Antamoks \$5.20.
Bagulo Gold, 59 cts.
Benguet Explor., 43 cts.
Demonstrations, \$1.54.
Suyoc Consol., 91 1/2 cts.
Hotels, \$5.55.
Hong Kong Lands, \$36.
Hong Kong Trams, \$12.35.
Yaumati Ferries, \$202.
China Lights (Old), \$12.
China Lights (New), \$9.10.
H.K. Electric, \$53.
Telephones (Old), \$28.
Cements, \$10.70.
Watsons, \$4.20.
Ewo Cottons Sh. \$7.1.
Vibro Piling, \$2.20.
Ch. Govt. 5% 1925 G.S. Bonds, 92 1/2 buyers.
Govt. 4% Loan, 7% Prem.
Govt. 3% Loan, par.

SELLERS

Big Wedge, 67 cts.
Suyoc Consol., 94 cts.
SALES
Union Insurance, \$5.70.
H.K. & W. Docks, 13 1/2.
Raubs, \$11.60.
Antamoks \$5.20.
Atoks, 97/98 cts.
Benguet Explor., 41/43 cts.
Big Wedge, 66/67 cts.
Consolidated Mines, 12 cts.
Demonstrations, \$1.56.
Gold River, 16/15 1/2 cts.
Masbate Consol., 97/98 cts.
Northern Mines, 54 cts.
San Mauricio, \$3.47.
Santa Rosa, 14/15 cts.
Northern Mines, 54 cts.
United Paracale, \$2.37.
Hotels, \$5.55.
Hong Kong Lands, \$36.
H.K. Electric, \$53 1/2.
Telephones (Old), \$28.
Cements, \$10.65.

THE EXCHANGE MARKET

MESSRS. ROZA BROS.

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 1, 1936.

Silver prices were unchanged yesterday, the quotations remaining at 19 9/16 for both deliveries. Silver advances reported speculators as having sold. India bought. The market was quiet. After the official fixing India and the American Treasury were reported to have bought. China and speculators sold. In America the rate was unchanged at 44 3/4 Spot.

The London/New York cross-rate was quoted at 5.03 1/32. The New York/London rate was higher at 5.03 5/32.

MARKET

Steady with very little business passing.

STERLING

A small business was done during the course of the morning at 1/2 29/32 for cash and September. The market closed at 1 p.m. with sellers at 1/2 29/32 for cash and 1/2 7/8 Sept./December, buyers at 1/2 15/16 September and 1/2 29/32 October/December.

U.S. DOLLARS

A small business was reported during the early part of the morning at 31 1/4 for cash. The market closed at 1 p.m. with sellers at 31 1/4 for cash and 31 3/16 Sept./November, buyers at 31 5/16 for cash and 1/2 29/32 October/September/November.

SHANGHAI DOLLARS

Sellers at 103 7/16 for cash, buyers at 103 9/16 for cash.

SHANGHAI MARKET

Early advices indicated sellers at 1/2 13/32 but later the rate receded to 1/2 3/8. U.S. Dollars

LONDON EXCHANGE RATES

(BRITISH WIRELESS SERVICE)

| | August 20. | August 31. |
|------------------|--------------|------------|
| Paris | 76 25/64 | 76 27/64 |
| Geneva | 15.42 1/2 | 15.43 1/2 |
| Berlin | 12.50 | 12.51 |
| Athens | 63 1/2 | 530 |
| Milan | 63 1/2 | 63 15/16 |
| Shanghai | 5.03 | 5.03 3/16 |
| New York | 7.40 1/2 | 7.41 |
| Amsterdam | 12 1/2 | |
| Vienna | | |
| Prague | | |
| Bucharest | | |
| Madrid | | |
| Lisbon | | |
| Hong Kong | 29.78 1/2 | 29.81 1/2 |
| Brussels | 38 13/16 | |
| Montevideo | | |
| Belgrade | 5.03 | 5.03 1/2 |
| Montreal | | |
| Yokohama | | |
| Helsingfors | | |
| Rio | | |
| Buenos Aires | | |
| Silver (Spot) | 10 1/2 | 10 9/16 |
| Silver (Forward) | 3 1/2 10 1/2 | 10 7/16 |
| War Loan | | |

Closing Quotations

| On London | On New York |
|---------------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| Telegraphic Transfer, 1/2 | Bank Bills, on demand 31 1/16 |
| Bank Bills, on demand 13 1/16 | Credits, 60 days' sight, 31 9/16 |
| Credits, four months' sight, 1/3 3/16 | On demand, 46 1/2 |
| On Shanghai | On demand, 47 1/2 |
| On demand, 10 1/2 | Credits, 4 months' sight 500 |
| On Singapore | On demand, 46 11/16 |
| On demand, 5 1/2 | On Manila |
| On Java | On demand, 62 1/2 |
| On demand, 16 1/2 | On Bangkok |
| On India | On demand, 160 1/2 |
| Telegraphic Transfer, 8 1/2 | Overseas Bank Buying |
| Bank, on demand, 8 1/2 | Rate |
| | Bar Silver, per oz. 19 9/16 |

MANILA MINING SHARES

| STOCKS | 31.836 | 1.936 | 1.936 |
|-----------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| Antamoks | P.3.30 | P.3.30 | P.3.30 |
| Atoks | 61cvs. | 61cvs. | 62cvs. |
| Bagulo Gold | 37 | 37 | 36 1/2 |
| Benguet Consol. | P.14.00 1/2 | P.14.00 1/2 | P.14.00 1/2 |
| Benguet Explor. | 24 1/2 | 24 1/2 | 28 |
| Big Wedge | 43 | 40 | 43 1/2 |
| Demonstration | 97 | 97 | 96 |
| I.L.L. | P.1.80 | P.1.75 | P.1.85 |
| Ilogons | P.1.80 | P.1.75 | P.1.80 |
| Masbate Consol. | 61 | 60 | 60 |
| Northern Mining | 33 | 33 | 32 |
| Paracale Gumaus | 64 | 61 | 65 |
| San Mauricio | P.2.15 | P.2.15 | P.2.15 |
| United Paracale | P.1.50 | P.1.50 | P.1.50 |
| Suyoc Consol. | 56 | 57 | 58 |
| Market Comment | Steady. | Quiet. | Steady. |

PHILIPPINE MINING NEWS

The board of directors of Equitable Exploration Company, Inc. has authorized the issuance of 230,000 shares of capital stock at P.22 a share, to be offered pro rata to stockholders of record on September 1, 1936; all unissued stock after the shareholders have exercised their rights will be underwritten by Syndicate Investments, Inc.

As a result of the geophysical survey which was conducted by Developments, Inc., on the Equitable property, it has been decided that the immediate undertaking of further exploration work is entirely warranted.

TO FINANCE WORK.

Such exploration and development work is estimated, by the Developments, Inc., engineers, to cost between P.40,000 and P.50,000, and it is for this purpose that the new stock is being issued.

Notice to this effect was sent to stockholders this week by A. B. Latham, president of Equitable.

An announcement was made on Wednesday, August 26, by R. C. Staight, president of Syndicate Investments, that Francis Burton Harrison, former governor general, had been elected a director of the company. Mr. Harrison has accepted the election, and will announce two other business connections soon.

opened with sellers at 30 3/16 and then receded to 30 1/8 for cash.

IN THE AFTERNOON

The market was steady in the afternoon. In sterling no business was reported, finishing with sellers at 1/2 29/32 September and 1/2 7/8 October/January, buyers at 1/2 15/16 for cash and 1/2 29/32 October/January.

U.S. DOLLARS

The market closed with sellers at 31 1/4 September and 31 3/16 October/November and probably December, buyers at 31 5/16 for cash and 31 1/4 October/November.

FURTHER EXPANSION

Syndicate Investments is making plans for further expansion and increase in capitalization from P.100,000 to P.300,000 was made a short time ago. Favourable developments during the past few weeks have made further plans for expansion necessary, Mr. Staight said.

The directors of Syndicate Investments now are Mr. Staight, Mr. Harrison, A. J. Bals, J. T. Knowles, and Judge James Ross. The company so far has paid dividends aggregating 32 1/2 per cent.

Mr. Harrison, who was advisor to President Manuel L. Quezon, tendered his resignation on August 24, President Quezon, in accepting it, voiced his regrets at losing the services of so valuable an advisor.

PHILIPPINE MINING RATES

Tuesday, Sept. 1.

The following are to-day's opening and closing quotations on the Manila Stock.

| Names | Opening | Closing |
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| | 10 a.m. 3.50 p.m. | |
| Antamoks | 3.30 | 3.30 |
| Atoks | 61 | 62 |
| Bagulo Gold | 37 | 36 1/2 |
| Benguet Con. | 14.75 | 14.75 |
| Benguet Explor. | 24 1/2 | 28 |
| Big Wedge | 40 | 43 1/2 |
| Demonstrations | 97 | 96 |
| Ilogons | 1.75 | 1.80 |
| Masbate | 60 | 60 |
| Northern Mines | 33 | 32 |
| Paracale Gumaus | 61 | 65 |
| I.L.L. | 1.75 | 1.85 |
| San Mauricio | 2.15 | 2.15 |
| Suyoc | 57 | 58 |
| United Paracale | 1.50 | 1.50 |
| Market | Quiet. | Steady. |

DOLLAR STEAMSHIP LINES AMERICAN MAIL LINE Sailings

| To SAN FRANCISCO | To SEATTLE, VICTORIA |
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| Via Shanghai, Kobe, Yokohama, Honolulu, San Francisco, Panama Canal, Havana, New York. | Via Shanghai, Kobe, Yokohama and Victoria. |
| Pres. Coolidge Noon Sept. 5th Pres. Taft M'night Sept. 22nd Pres. Hoover Noon Oct. 3rd Pres. Pierce M'night Oct. 20th Pres. Coolidge 10 a.m. Oct. 31st | Pres. Jackson M'night Sept. 11th Pres. McKinley M'night Sept. 5th Pres. Grant M'night Oct. 9th Pres. Jefferson M'night Oct. 3rd Pres. Jackson M'night Nov. 6th |
| EUROPE, NEW YORK | MANILA |
| Via Manila, Singapore, Penang, Colombo, Bombay, Suez Canal, Naples, Genoa and Marseilles. | THE MOST FREQUENT SERVICE |
| Pres. Van Buren 8 a.m. Sept. 19th Pres. Garfield 8 a.m. Sept. 26th Pres. Polk 8 a.m. Oct. 10th Pres. Adams 8 a.m. Oct. 24th Pres. Harrison 8 a.m. Nov. 7th | Next Sailing Pres. Jackson 8 p.m. Sept. 5th Pres. Van Buren 8 a.m. Sept. 12th Pres. Taft 6 p.m. Sept. 15th Pres. McKinley 6 p.m. Sept. 19th Pres. Hoover 9 p.m. Sept. 24th |

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CONSIGNEE NOTICES.

PRINCE LINE.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM NEW YORK AND LOS ANGELES

THE Motor Vessel "SIAMSE PRINCE"

having arrived from the above Ports on 1st Sept., Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at risks into the Godowns of the Hong Kong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, Limited, Kowloon, and stored at Consignees' risk and expense.

All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on Saturday, 5th Sept., 1936, at 10 A.M.

All Claims must be presented within 15 Days of the Vessel's arrival here, after which date they cannot be recognized.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 8th Sept., 1936, will be subject to Rent.

No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

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Dial 23166 & 23169

Hong Kong, 1st Sept., 1936.

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NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES

OCEAN STEAMSHIP CO., LTD.

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CONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at risks into the Godowns of the Hong Kong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, Ltd., Kowloon, whence and/or from the wharves delivery may be obtained.

Optional cargo will not be landed here, unless notice has been given 48 hours prior to vessel's arrival, but carried on from port to port to the final port of call to which the option extends.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 8th inst. will be subject to rent.

All claims against the vessel must be presented to the undersigned on or before the 1st inst., or they will not be recognized.

All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 4th inst. at 10 a.m. by our surveyors, Messrs. Goddard & Douglas.

In the case of dutiable cargo, consignees are requested to inform the Imports & Exports Office that they have such goods for examination.

No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bill of Lading will be countersigned by

DODWELL & CO., LTD.

Agents.

Hong Kong, 1st Sept., 1936.

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REICHSMARK RATES

Berlin, Aug. 31.

The Reichsmark was quoted (without guarantee) at:

New York 40.22 1/2

Paris 610 1/2 to 611

Amsterdam unquoted

London 22.50 1/2

Paris quoted the Pound Sterling at 76.40 to 76.42 and the U.S.A. Dollar at 15.18 1/2 to 15.19

Transocean News Service.

CONSIGNEE NOTICES.

HAMBURG-AMERIKA LINE.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

THE S.S. "NEUMARK"

having arrived from Hamburg and Ports of call, Consignees of Cargo are hereby notified that their Goods are being landed and placed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hong Kong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, Limited, Kowloon, and stored at Consignees' risk and expense.

Optional Cargo will not be landed here, unless Notice has been given 48 hours prior to Vessel's arrival, but carried on from port to port to the final port of call to which the option extends.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 2nd Sept., 1936, will be subject to Rent.

All broken, chafed and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on 1st Sept., 1936, at 10 a.m. by our Surveyors, Messrs. Goddard & Douglas.

To comply with the General Bonded Warehouse Regulations consignees must have a Revenue Officer's attendance when damaged dutiable goods are examined.

All Claims must reach us before the 26th Sept., 1936, or they will not be recognized.

No Insurance will be effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

JERSEN & CO., Agents.

Hong Kong, 8th Aug., 1936. [4642]

DODWELL—CASTLE LINE

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES

Motor Vessel "THURLAND CASTLE"

From U.S.A. via MANILA.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby informed that all Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hong Kong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, Ltd., Kowloon, whence and/or from the wharves delivery may be obtained.

Optional cargo will not be landed here, unless notice has been given 48 hours prior to vessel's arrival, but carried on from port to port to the final port of call to which the option extends.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 8th inst. will be subject to rent.

All claims against the vessel must be presented to the undersigned on or before the 1st inst., or they will not be recognized.

All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 4th inst. at 10 a.m. by our surveyors, Messrs. Goddard & Douglas.

In the case of dutiable cargo, consignees are requested to inform the Imports & Exports Office that they have such goods for examination.

No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bill of Lading will be countersigned by

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Hong Kong, 1st Sept., 1936.

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| SWATOW & SHANGHAI | "SZE HOEN" | On 2nd Sept. 5 p.m. |
| SWATOW & SHANGHAI | "TAIYUAN" | On 3rd Sept. 8 p.m. |
| SWATOW, FOOCHOW, SHANGHAI, TIENTSIN, WIKHAIWEI, CHEFOO & TIENTSIN... | YOHOW | On 4th Sept. 8 p.m. |
| HOHOW, PAKHOI & HAIPHONG | KWANGCHOW | On 4th Sept. 8 p.m. |
| SWATOW & SHANGHAI | "KINGYUAN" | On 6th Sept. 3 p.m. |
| SWATOW & SHANGHAI | "SOO'HOW" | On 8th Sept. 5 p.m. |
| SWATOW, TIENTSIN, CHEFOO & TIENTSIN... | NINGHAI | On 9th Sept. 2 p.m. |
| HOHOW & SHANGHAI | "TSINAN" | On 9th Sept. 6 p.m. |
| HOHOW, PAKHOI & HAIPHONG | "MUNAN" | On 10th Sept. 11.30 a.m. |
| SWATOW, FOOCHOW, SHANGHAI, TIENTSIN, WIKHAIWEI, CHEFOO & TIENTSIN... | KAYING | On 11th Sept. 2 p.m. |
| SWATOW & SHANGHAI | "YUNNAN" | On 14th Sept. 3 p.m. |
| SWATOW & SHANGHAI | "KUNGHOW" | On 14th Sept. 3 p.m. |
| SWATOW, AMOI, SWATOW, SINGAPORE & PENANG | "ANSHUN" | On 14th Sept. 3 p.m. |
| SWATOW & SHANGHAI | "SZEHOEN" | On 16th Sept. 5 p.m. |
| SWATOW, TIENTSIN, CHEFOO & TIENTSIN... | "NEWCHANG" | On 18th Sept. 2 p.m. |
| SWATOW & SHANGHAI | "TAIYUAN" | On 18th Sept. 6 p.m. |
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| Amoy. | Fukukien Maru, O.S.K., September 2. |
| Taiyuan, B. & S., Sept. 3. | Tijbadak, J.C.J. Line, Sept. 3. |
| Haikang, Douglas, September 4. | Hokan Maru, O.S.K., Sept. 9. |
| Tsinan, B. & S., Sept. 9. | Hong Kong Maru, O.S.K., Sept. 13. |
| Anshun, B. & S., September 14. | Fukukien Maru, O.S.K., Sept. 16. |
| Taiyuan, B. & S., Sept. 16. | Yunnan, B. & S., Sept. 20. |
| Hai Hing, Thoresen's, Sept. 20. | Nanchang, B. & S., Sept. 2. |
| Hopang, Jardine's, Sept. 2. | Nanchang, B. & S., Sept. 2. |
| Yochow, B. & S., Sept. 4. | Ninghai, B. & S., Sept. 9. |
| Haikang, Jardine's, Sept. 10. | Yunnan, B. & S., Sept. 11. |
| Nanchang, B. & S., Sept. 11. | Nanchang, B. & S., Sept. 11. |

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| Dairen. | Thoresen, B. & S., Sept. 4. |
| Donau, Melchers, Sept. 5. | City of Derby, Bank Line, Sept. 8. |
| Kulmerland, Jobson's, Sept. 9. | Haikang, Jardine's, Sept. 10. |
| Sarpedon, B. & S., Sept. 11. | Sale, Melchers, September 12. |
| Foochow. | Haikang, Douglas, September 4. |
| Hopang, Jardine's, Sept. 4. | Yochow, B. & S., Sept. 4. |
| Yunnan, B. & S., Sept. 11. | Yunnan, B. & S., Sept. 11. |

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| JAPAN (Direct). | Bokuyo Maru, N.Y.K., September 7. |
| Yochow, B. & S., Sept. 4. | Hopang, Jardine's, Sept. 4. |
| Yunnan, B. & S., Sept. 11. | Yunnan, B. & S., Sept. 11. |

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| Keelung. | Dagfred, Jobson's, Sept. 5. |
| Yochow, B. & S., Sept. 4. | Hokan Maru, O.S.K., Sept. 9. |
| Hong Kong Maru, O.S.K., Sept. 13. | Hopang, Jardine's, Sept. 10. |

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| Shanghai and Japan. | Asama Maru, N.Y.K., September 2. |
| Ranpura, P. & O., Sept. 3. | Tilawa, B.I. (Aper), September 3. |
| Emp. of Asia, C.P.S., September 4. | Fushima, Lloyd Triestino, Sept. 4. |
| Nankin, E. & A., Sept. 4. | Thoresen, B. & S., Sept. 4. |
| Chenonceaux, Messageries, Sept. 5. | Dagfred, Jobson's, Sept. 5. |
| Donau, Melchers, Sept. 5. | Pres. Coolidge, Dollar's, Sept. 5. |
| Bhutan, P. & O., Sept. 6. | Pyrrhus, B. & S., Sept. 6. |
| City of Derby, Bank Line, Sept. 8. | Scharnhorst, Melchers, September 8. |
| Kulmerland, Jobson's, Sept. 9. | Touraine, Thoresen's, September 9. |
| Tongking, E.A. Co., Sept. 10. | Pres. Jackson, A.M. Line, Sept. 11. |
| Behar, P. & O., September 12. | Hennepin, Loxley's, Sept. 12. |
| Katori Maru, N.Y.K., Sept. 12. | Sale, Melchers, September 12. |
| Rawalpindi, P. & O., Sept. 17. | Santhia, B.I. (Aper), Sept. 17. |
| Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., Sept. 18. | Shantung, Gilman's, Sept. 18. |
| Tai Yang, Doddwell's, Sept. 18. | D'Arzac, Messageries, Sept. 19. |
| Gen. Pershing, States Co., Sept. 19. | Manila, B. & S., September 21. |
| Pres. Taft, Dollar's, Sept. 22. | Emund, Jobson's, Sept. 22. |
| Pres. McKinley, A.M. Line, Sept. 25. | Emp. of Russia, C.P.S., October 2. |

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| SHANGHAI AND VIA PORTS. | Szechuen, B. & S., Sept. 2. |
| Yaching, Jardine's, Sept. 2. | Taiyuan, B. & S., Sept. 3. |
| Tijbadak, J.C.J. Line, Sept. 3. | Yochow, B. & S., Sept. 4. |
| Kingman, B. & S., Sept. 6. | Kwaiyang, Jardine's, September 6. |
| Sochow, B. & S., Sept. 8. | Norikau, Thoresen's, September 9. |
| Tainan, B. & S., September 9. | Sarpedon, B. & S., Sept. 11. |
| Yunnan, B. & S., Sept. 11. | Kiangchow, B. & S., Sept. 13. |
| Takang, Jardine's, Sept. 13. | Szechuen, B. & S., Sept. 15. |
| Taiyuan, B. & S., Sept. 16. | Taiyuan, B. & S., Sept. 16. |

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| Swatow. | Fukukien Maru, O.S.K., September 2. |
| Helios, Thoresen's, Sept. 2. | Kwei yang, B. & S., Sept. 2. |
| Nanchang, B. & S., Sept. 2. | Szechuen, B. & S., Sept. 2. |
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| South America (W.C.). | Bokuyo Maru, N.Y.K., September 7. |
| City of Rayville, States Co., Sept. 17. | Yochow, B. & S., Sept. 4. |
| Yunnan, B. & S., Sept. 11. | Yunnan, B. & S., Sept. 11. |

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| Vancouver, B.C. | Emp. of Asia, C.P.S., September 4. |
| Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., Sept. 18. | Yochow, B. & S., Sept. 4. |
| Yunnan, B. & S., Sept. 11. | Yunnan, B. & S., Sept. 11. |

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| Victoria, B.C. | Emp. of Asia, C.P.S., September 4. |
| Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., Sept. 18. | Yochow, B. & S., Sept. 4. |
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| Hopang, Jardine's, Sept. 4. | Yochow, B. & S., Sept. 4. |
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| Sochow, B. & S., Sept. 8. | Norikau, Thoresen's, September 9. |
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HAKUBAN MARU ... Saturday, 26th Sept.

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MUROBAN MARU ... Saturday, 5th Sept.

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ARRIVALS

1ST SEPTEMBER, 1936.

Solviken, Norwegian steamer, 1,435 tons, Captain P. Heesch, from Hongay, Yaumati—Wallen & Co.
Tj. badak, Dutch steamer, 4,801 tons, Captain J. Naerebout, from Sourabaya via Muntok, buoy No. A2—J. C. J. Line.
Hal Lee, Norwegian steamer, 2,160 tons, Captain J. Davidson, from Rangoon via Holhow, buoy No. B12—Thoresen & Co.
King Yuan, British steamer, 1,546 tons, Captain F. H. W. Graybrook, from Haiphong via Holhow, buoy No. A12—Butterfield and Swire.
Hop Sang, British steamer, 1,359 tons, Captain D. S. Pethick, from Tientsin via Swatow, buoy No. B10—J. M. & Co.
Fukuen Maru, Japanese steamer, 1,548 tons, Captain N. Hirose, from Canton, O.S.K. Wharf—O. S. K.
Houtman, Dutch steamer, 3,180 tons, Captain W. C. Hagenaar, from Saigon, buoy No. A8—J. C. J. Line.
Kamo Maru, Japanese steamer, 4,888 tons, Captain Y. Moroki, from Yokohama via Nagasaki, buoy No. A1—N. Y. K.
Tanda, British steamer, 4,388 tons, Captain E. Pilcher, from Moji, Kowloon Wharf—M. M. & Co.
Hal Jul, Chinese steamer, 1,185 tons, Captain Henry Soe, from Shanghai via Swatow, China Merchant S.N. Wharf—C. M. S. N. & Co.
Yat Shing, British steamer, 1,424 tons, Captain L. McRoe, from Tientsin via Swatow, West Point Wharf—J. M. & Co.
City of Rayville, American str., 3,666 tons, Captain V. P. Atkins, from Shanghai, Lal Chi Kok—Stokes & Co.
Golden Peak, American steamer, 4,381 tons, Captain K. Hansen, from Kobe, Stonecutters—States & Co.
Tilawa, British steamer, 6,153 tons, Captain J. G. Lindon, from Calcutta via Singapore, Kowloon Wharf—M. M. & Co.
Nanchang, British steamer, 1,443 tons, Captain P. J. Green, from Canton, buoy No. B3—B. & S.
Nankin, British steamer, 4,420 tons, Captain T. H. Scott-White, from Melbourne via Manila, Kowloon Wharf—M. M. & Co.
Selatan, British steamer, 1,571 tons, Captain R. C. Creten, from Swatow, Douglas Wharf—Douglas & Co.
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NEWS FROM THE WATERFRONT

Freight and Asiatic Passengers Returns

(BY LONGSHOREMAN).

During the 24 hours ended at 9.00 a.m. yesterday, the freight returns, received from the Harbour Office, showed a fairly high tonnage movement, a large proportion of which being made up by British and Japanese ships.

The total tonnage of general cargo carried by vessels to the Colony was 16,651 tons, with British steamers carrying 4,153 tons.

Through cargo for ports beyond the Colony amounted to 24,303 tons, of which 8,081 tons were carried by British steamers. Asiatic deck passengers entering into the Colony during the 24 hours ended at 9.00 a.m. yesterday were 1,088, of which 372 were from British steamers.

There were altogether seventeen arrivals, of which nine were of British registry, the remainder being of other nationalities, while of the 13 departures, seven were British ships, the rest being of other different countries. Particulars as follows:—

| Nationality | Ships | Tonnage |
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| British | 9 | 12,234 |
| Norwegian | 1 | 30 |
| Dutch | 2 | 9,096 |
| Japanese | 4 | 16,094 |
| Chinese | 1 | 3,500 |
| Total | 17 | 40,954 |

SHIPPING MOVEMENTS

The s.s. "Houtman" (J.C.J.L.) will leave here for Rodriguez, Mauritius, Reunion, Tamatave, Durban and Lourenco Marques on Wednesday (to-day) at a.m.

The s.s. "Tj. badak" (J.C.J.L.) is scheduled to leave Hong Kong for Batavia direct on Tuesday, 8th September, at 11 a.m.

Special roundtrip:—Hong Kong-Batavia-Hong Kong, H.K.#275.

The s.s. "Tj. badak" (J.C.J.L.) will leave here for Bali and Java via Manila and Macassar on Tuesday, 15th September, at 10 a.m.

Summer roundtrip 28 days:—Hong Kong-Bali-Java-Hong Kong, H.K.#450.

Special roundtrip:—Hong Kong-Manila-Hong Kong, H.K.#135.

The E. and A. Line's steam ship "Tanda" will leave Hong Kong for Manila, Rabaul, Brisbane, Sydney, Melbourne and Hobart on or about Friday, the 4th instant, at 10.30 a.m.

The E. and A. Line's steam ship "Nankin" will leave the Colony for Shanghai, Moji, Kobe, Osaka and Yokohama on or about Friday, the 4th instant, at 6 a.m.

The B.I. and Apcar steam ship "Tilawa" will leave for Shanghai, Moji, Kobe and Osaka on or about Thursday, 3rd September, 1936, at 7 a.m.

Yat Shing for Canton
Tj. karang for Amoy
Noshro Maru for Shanghai
Hal Lee for Swatow

VESSELS DUE

Alipora, P. & O., September 12.
Asaphion, B. & S., September 23.
Australien, E.A. Co., September 11.
Austvard, Jensen's, Sept. 19.
Bangalore, P. & O., Sept. 12.
Benrimma, Loxley's, Sept. 24.
Bihar, P. & O., September 11.
Benmor, Loxley's, September 12.
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Bhutan, P. & O., September 5.
Bromerhavn, Melchers', Sept. 2.
Burgonland, Jensen's, Sept. 2.
Chenonceaux, Messageries, Sept. 5.
Chitral, P. & O., Sept. 18.
Corfu, P. & O., Sept. 30.
Crofeld, Melchers', October 7.
D'Artagnan, Messageries', Sept. 19.
Deucalion, B. & S., September 27.
Donau, Melchers', Sept. 24.
Emp. of Asia, C.P.S., Sept. 2.
Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., Sept. 11.
Emp. of Japan, C.P.S., October 9.
Emp. of Russia, C.P.S., September 24.
Ermland, Jensen's, September 24.
Fridrum, Melchers', October 2.
Fusijama, Lloyd Triestino, Sept. 4.
General Sherman, States Co., Oct. 2.
Gen. Pershing, States Co., Sept. 11.
Grooteherk, J.C.J. Line, September 9.
Havel, Melchers', Sept. 5.
Hawaii Maru, O.S.K., September 5.
Idoneneus, Jardine's, Sept. 16.
Illinois, States Co., Sept. 2.
Ixion, B. & S., September 5.
Java, E.A. Co., October 6.
Jean Laborde, Messageries', Sept. 4.
Katori Maru, N.Y.K., Sept. 12.
Kulmerland, Jensen's, Sept. 9.
Kwangchow, B. & S., Sept. 2.
Menestheus, H. & S., Sept. 2.
Manalau, B. & S., September 21.
Nagata, Gilman's, Sept. 6.
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Nial Maekik, Jensen's, September 2.
Potsdam, Melchers', October 6.
Pres. Adams, Dollar's, October 23.
Pres. Coolidge, Dollar's, Sept. 4.
Pres. Dummer, Messageries', Sept. 8.
Pres. Garfield, Dollar's, Sept. 25.
Pres. Grant, A.M. Line, October 2.
Pres. Hoover, Dollar's, Sept. 24.
Pres. Jackson, A.M. Line, Sept. 4.
Pres. McKinley, A.M. Line, Sept. 12.
Pres. Pierce, Dollar's, October 12.
Pres. Polk, Dollar's, October 9.
Pres. Taft, Dollar's, Sept. 14.
Pres. Van Buren, Dollar's, Sept. 11.
Pyrrhus, B. & S., September 8.
Rajputana, P. & O., Sept. 4.
Rampura, P. & O., Sept. 2.
Rawalpindi, P. & O., September 16.
Saale, Melchers', September 12.
Santia, B.I. (Apcar), September 15.
Sargapada, B. & S., September 11.
Scherhorst, Melchers', Sept. 8.
Shantung, Gilman's, Sept. 18.
Shirala, B.I. (Apcar), Sept. 10.
Soudan, P. & O., Sept. 28.
Sphinx, Messageries', October 3.
Taiping, B. & S., September 4.
Tai Yang, Dollar's, Sept. 17.
Taima, B.I. (Apcar), Sept. 29.
Tallhybus, B. & S., October 2.
Torquay Maru, N.Y.K., Sept. 10.
Thames, B. & S., September 8.
Tongking, E.A. Co., Sept. 10.
Touraine, Thoresen's, September 9.
Trianon, Thoresen's, September 28.
Van Heutz, J.C.J. Line, Sept. 8.
Yuenang, Jardine's, September 5.

PASSENGERS

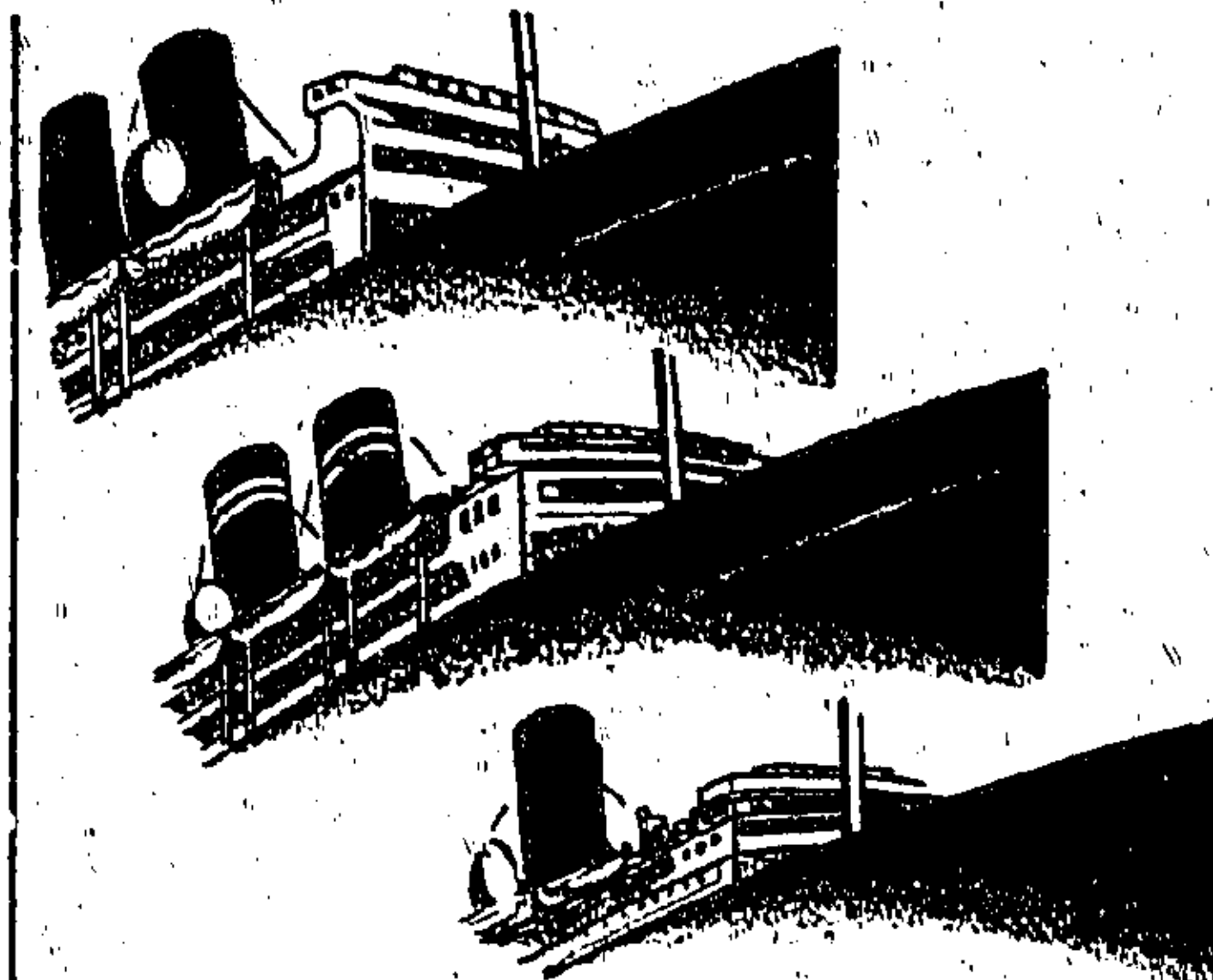
Kamo Maru Arrives From North

The N.Y.K. liner Kamo Maru arrived yesterday from Yokohama via ports with the following passengers for Hong Kong:—

Mrs. R. Abraham, Mr. M. Y. Finnes, Miss D. E. Lane, Miss L. C. Lane, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Stapleton, Mr. H. J. Smith, Mr. Shizukichi Matsubara.

FRENCH SLOOP ARRIVES

The French sloop, Rigault de Genouille arrived yesterday morning from Saigon on her way for a Northern cruise, and fired a salute of 21 guns to the country, which was replied to by Blackhead Fort. She is commanded by Capitaine de Freigate L. H. Moron.



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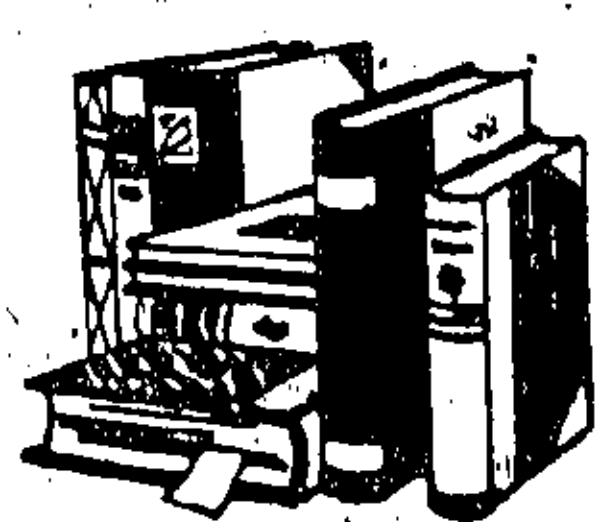
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From September 2, to 8, 1936.

| Day of Week | Date | HIGH WATER | | LOW WATER | |
|-------------|------|------------|--------|-----------|--------|
| | | Time | Height | Time | Height |
| Wed. | 2 | 19 4 | 7 7 | 13 00 | 2 5 |
| Thur. | 3 | 23 05 | 8 0 | 18 08 | 1 3 |
| | | 10 15 | 7 5 | 4 45 | 2 0 |
| Fri. | 4 | 23 38 | 8 4 | 18 34 | 1 6 |
| | | 11 08 | 7 4 | 04 38 | 1 8 |
| Sat. | 5 | 23 5 | 8 2 | 05 28 | 1 7 |
| | | 23 51 | 8 1 | 11 39 | 2 6 |
| Sun. | 6 | 13 5 | 8 5 | 18 05 | 1 9 |
| | | 13 5 | 8 5 | 18 05 | 1 9 |
| Mon. | 7 | 00 45 | 7 0 | 07 39 | 2 1 |
| | | 14 38 | 7 8 | 18 30 | 3 7 |
| Tues. | 8 | 11 38 | 7 0 | 09 10 | 2 3 |
| | | 19 10 | 4 4 | 18 52 | 1 4 |

HONGKONG METEOROLOGICAL REGISTER

Hong Kong Observatory, Sept. 1.

| | Previous Day | On Date | On Date |
|----------------|--------------|------------|-----------|
| | at 4 p.m. | at 10 a.m. | at 4 p.m. |
| Barometer... | 29.85 | 29.65 | 29.57 |
| Temperature... | 85 | 82 | 81 |
| Humidity... | 74 | 84 | 72 |
| Wind... | | | |
| Direction... | NW | WNW | W |
| Force... | 3 | 3 | 3 |
| Weather... | C | C | C |
| Rain... | | | |

Highest open-air Temperature, 31.5°

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B=Blue sky; C=Cloudy; D=Drizzle; F=Fog; L=Lightning;

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| Direct Service—India, Malaya | K.M.A. Dorado | 2nd Sept. |
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| BURROE via SUEZ (Letters and Papers) | | |
| London, 8th August and London | Ranpara | 2nd Sept. |
| Parcels—London date, 30th July | | |
| STRAITS | Tasman | 3rd Sept. |
| HAIPHONG | Carlton | 4th Sept. |
| MANILA | Pres. Goodridge | 4th Sept. |
| HAIPHONG | G. G. Paul Doumer | 4th Sept. |
| AUSTRALIA and MANILA | Taipei | 4th Sept. |
| JAPAN, SHANGHAI and BURROE via | | |
| SUEZ (14th London, 13th Aug.) | Rajputana | 4th Sept. |
| STRAITS | Indus | 4th Sept. |
| "U.S.A., CANADA, JAPAN and SHANGHAI" | | |
| (Seattle, 15th August) | Pres. Jackson | 4th Sept. |
| SAIGON | Chimonocause | 5th Sept. |
| MANILA | Epina | 5th Sept. |
| JAPAN | Hawaii Maru | 5th Sept. |
| SHANGHAI | Imon | 5th Sept. |
| CALCUTTA and STRAITS | Yuenang | 5th Sept. |
| STRAITS | Pyrrhos | 7th Sept. |
| SHANGHAI | Mesitheus | 8th Sept. |
| MANILA | Scharnhorst | 8th Sept. |
| STRAITS | Van Heuts | 8th Sept. |
| SHANGHAI | Pres. Dumas | 8th Sept. |
| JAPAN and SHANGHAI | Terukuni Maru | 10th Sept. |
| AMOI | Shirata | 10th Sept. |
| STRAITS | Behar | 11th Sept. |
| CANADA, U.S.A., HONOLULU, JAPAN and | | |
| SHANGHAI (Vancouver B.C., 22nd Aug.) | Emp. of Canada... | 11th Sept. |
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